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WILD WATERS.

Great Destruction by Floods All Over the Country.

TOWNS UNDER WATER.

Williamsport, Milton, Sunbury, Montgomery Station, Harrisburg and Other Places Along the Suspuehanna Among the Sufferers--Bridges Carried Away.

The down pour of rain, commencing Saturday afternoon and continuing with some intermission throughout the night, all day on Sunday and Sunday night, and taking it up again on Monday morning, rather more than gratified the complaining farmers who were lamenting the absence of moisture. Fishingcreek was so high on Monday morning as to materially affect passenger traffic and in a measure jeopardize and impede the progress of the trains. The train coming south on Monday morning was obliged to feel its way along cautiously from Jamison City. A barrier that stopped the cars completely was met just above Orangeville, where quite a large tree had fallen across the track, the removal of which had to be done in a heavy rain. To the credit of the company we must say that on this occasion a comfortable fire was to be found in the cars, and it was about the only enjoyable thing of the trip. If Fishingcreek gets much higher we, at least, have never seen it so. The stream was far above its natural bed, submerging the low lands all along and in some places putting the wagon road under water as well as strips of newly-planted corn and grain of all kinds. Because of the frequent blights to fruit and all manner of vegetation that is injured by our eastern storms, we are disposed to regard them generally as rather more calamitous than beneficial, and we fear our last eastern storm has been no exception to the rule.

GENERAL RAVAGES OF THE STORM.

The storm, which had been anxiously looked for by impatient farmers who were already muttering complaint, set in without much noise or bluster on Saturday afternoon. With but little intermission it rained for about 60 hours, when reports of disaster through floods, inundations, washouts, land slides, fallen timber, &c.,began finding their way into print. Because of detained mails, however, it was difficult to get the news punctually. Culled at random the reports read as follows, somewhat :

Pennsylvania swept by floods. Streams still rising rapidly. Lock Haven shut off: Williamsport inundated ; great damage throughout the State ; the storm unequaled since the memorable Johnstown disaster in 1889 ; families surrounded by water in some cases and no assistance able to reach them ; 25,000,000 feet of logs in the swim at Lock Haven ; bridges swept away along mountain streams, creeks, rivulets, and rivers ; the rise of the west branch of the Susquehanna said to be 25 to 30 feet. Nothing like it except, perhaps, the historic freshet of 1865. The river rose at the rate of a foot an hour, coming right up close to the lower chords of railroad bridges ; in some places sweeping through the bridges, placing them in momentary danger of being carried from their piers and moorings ; part of Lock Haven under water ; Norristown flooded ; Juniata Valley people suffered great loss ; 75 cars loaded with stone run on a bridge to hold it there ; passenger traffic necessarily retarded and, in some cases, entirely abandoned ; Sunday services forgotten or neglected in the excitement, and yet if it ever stops raining the God who started it, the God of nature and of the elements, alone can stop it ; miles of trolley tracks buried under debris ; the last train to reach Lock Haven waded through 18 inches of water, and so did the passengers ; 170 million feet of measured logs known to be afloat, with twice as many more, perhaps, that are unmeasured and unclaimed, because they came from nobody knows where ; lots of work for "wage earners" carting goods to the highlands along swollen streams ; everybody at work and nobody happy ; railroaders heretofore nursing their dividends must now hire labor to make amends or quit running ; Coxey's plan is nowhere compared with the elements for brushing up dormant capital and capitalists in dull times ; little streams join the big ones, then they all join together, and the windows of heaven are still open to let the rain down ; Aaron Strausburger, a Williamsport liquor dealer, fell down stairs and hurt himself badly while trying to save his effects from the flood ; perhaps he was excited ; cellars filled also ; in the dead hour of mid-night the rain fell in sheets and the wind blew such a gale as Tom O'Shanter encountered ; everybody on Front street, Williamsport, driven to their second stories for safety ; a brewery struck by lightning at Reading ; railroad tracks washed out at Tyrone ; terrible damage throughout Luzerne county also ; the steamer Mayflower loaded with Hungarian passengers driven against a pier and sunk quickly, the Hungarians didn't, but they narrowly escaped ; collieries flooded ; tenements unroofed ; crops badly damaged ; extensive and expensive tramways washed out at Paddy Mountain ; people of the valley near Lewisburg fleeing to the hills and mountains for safety ; storm severe and general along the coast, doing great damage to shipping and driving boats aground ; destruction to growing crops inestimable upon the low-lands, and too much moisture for good fruitage upon the highlands ; destructive winds and terrific rain not confined to Pennsylvania, but sweep the Atlantic coast ; at Atlantic City a veritable hurricane blew from the south-east ; ocean piers and handsome promenades destroyed ; waves rolling over bulkheads and flooding the lawns; everything flooded ; no boats presuming to venture upon the high seas ; mountainous waves sweeping out across the beautiful meadows and submerging railroads and checking all means of travel ; authentic and minute reports will verify the fact that the generally destructive results of the storm are unequaled.

Two bridges at Williamsport, the Muncy bridge, the Lewisburg bridge, were carried off, the latter tearing out one span of the bridge at Northumberland ; and the P. & R. railroad bridges at Muncy and Milton are among the disasters. The Milton fair grounds were completely wrecked.

The water flooded Montgomery Station, and did much damage. The residence of S. B Henderson, son-in law of E. C. Wells, had eight feet of water on the first floor. Mr. Henderson and family removed to the hotel. His house had but recently been repaired. This is the second time it has been wrecked by the flood.

LOCAL STREAMS.

On Tuesday morning, while waiting the belated mails, the COLUMBIAN hitched up and took a drive around in order the better to report upon the true conditions of the Susquehanna and the historic Fishingcreek. At the river we found, upon inquiry from those who claimed to be familiar with high and low water marks that the stream then some fifteen or eighteen feet above low water, was slowly but surely rising. There was a margin of some four or five feet yet before the water would reach the highest known rise of the river in the past. Of course the coffer dam was out of sight and under water along with much other bridge building machinery and appliances that it is hoped will be found when the water recedes.

Looking across the river we observed quite a land-slide from under the Pennsylvania railroad tracks and upon which men were busily at work to make it passable. This work and the click of some stone dressers' chisel on the stone for the new bridge was about the only business activity to be observed. A few fishermen were there, indeed, but the conditions seemed to be unfavorable and they failed to show us their catch. The river was rising at about the same rate that we found Fishingcreek receding, and no great damage was found to have been sustained by this vicinity, though much low land that was unable to absorb the rain as it fell was found to be still underwater.

It has continued to rain most of the time since Sunday, with short intervals of stops. It is raining hard this Thursday morning, and there is no telling when it will stop. The river has fallen many feet, and the creek also.

Grand Army of the Republic.

The members of Col. W. H. Ent Post, No. 250, will meet at their hall Sunday, May 27th, at 10 a. m., to attend divine service at the Episcopal Church. All old soldiers and sailors are respectfully invited to meet with us. THOS. E. GEDDIS, P. C.
C. P. SLOAN, Adjt.

The COLUMBIAN is pleased to acknowledge receipt of invitation to attend the Commencement Exercises of the Pennsylvania State College, at State College, Pa., from June 10th to 13th inclusive.

THE FLOOD AT MILTON.

On Tuesday afternoon in company with about twenty others from Bloomsburg, we went over to Milton by the P. & R. railroad to see the devastation caused by the flood. The water rose on Sunday and Monday, until it had reached a point about fifteen inches lower than in 1889. All the business portion of the town was flooded, including Broadway and Main street. During Tuesday the water fell five feet, and by Wednesday morning the streets were passable again, the river being within its banks. Two spans of the P. & R. bridge were carried away by logs from the Williamsport boom, and it was expected that a third span would go, as the logs were banked against it higher than the top of the span.

The flood did not come as suddenly as in 1889, so that every body had time to move their goods to the second floors. Pianos, cook-stoves, and everything else movable was carried up stairs. In many residences, there was from four to eight feet on the first floors, and great damage has been done. Every train was crowded with people from adjoining towns who were brought to Milton out of curiosity. It will take months to get the water out of cellars, and to clean up and repaint and paper, and for a long time the dampness in the houses cannot but render them unhealthy.

The people of Milton are certainly entitled to much sympathy, for they have been very unfortunate.

The flood of 1869, the fire of 1881, and the floods of 1889 and 1894 have been heavy blows to the place, but the residents have borne up bravely and have struggled hard against adversity, and seem cheerful and hopeful in the midst of disaster. If they ask for help it ought to be most heartily rendered to them.

To the Citizens of Bloomsburg.

There is an organization in this town that has for its end the elevation of young men. It seeks to throw about the boys and young men of the place Christian influences, to give them wholesome reading matter to teach them cleanliness, Godliness and self respect. This organization is the Young Men's Christian Association. It does a work that is not done, and can not be done by the churches of the place, and which supplements rather than hinders their work.

Is the work done by this association worth anything to the citizens of Bloomsburg? Is it of any practical value to have the young men who work in the factories, clerk in our stores, engage in the different industrial pursuits, loaf on our streets, and marry our daughters, kept from the saloons, and other disturbing influences, and led into the paths of sobriety, respectability, honesty and piety? Looking at it from the cold, calculating, business point of view, does it pay to elevate and save young men? Does it not enhance the value of property, turn large sums of money into the legtimate channels of trade and make it a safer place to rear children, to have in our town an organization that looks after the morals, manners, and religion of our young men?

Now, we the undersigned citizens of Bloomsburg, who have given of our own time and means to manage the affairs of this organization, believing that the people of Bloomsburg want this work done, make this public appeal for financial means to do it. The fathers and mothers of this town who want to make it a safe town in which to bring up and educate and start successfully upon their life-work, their sons and daughters, ought to meet this appeal with welcome and substantial response. Everybody can subscribe something. Many can give of their abundance ; as the Lord has blessed them, all can do something. Let us hear from you. Do not make us hunt you up.

We remain most respectfully, yours for the young men.

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McCracken & Forbes, who had arranged to sell a car load of western horses at the Piatt livery stable in Nanticoke, on Tuesday the 22d, were among the many business men whose plans were disarranged by the elements not within man's control. The heavy rains prevented all possibility of getting their horses there in time.

BRIEF MENTION

About People You Know.

W. T. Creasy, candidate for sheriff, was in town on Wednesday.

Mr. A. M. Ruch spent Saturday among friends in Shickshinny.

Murid Wenner, of Van Camp, was a visitor to town on Saturday.

Among the sick of Bloomsburg, we must mention Thomas Hartman.

G. W. Belles, of New Columbus, was among those attending court.

Michael Wenner of Van Camp, transacted business in Bloomsburg on Saturday.

J. K. Lockard has had the hall way in his store building papered and varnished.

Oscar Hess, of Van Camp, was among those visiting the county seat on Saturday.

Ben. Johns, of the Normal, spends his Sundays at home in Shickshinny occasionally.

Cletus Jones is at home, and has been nursing fourteen carbuncles on his right arm.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Suplee are being visited by their daughter Mrs. Anna Nuss, of Mainville.

C. N. Nagle of Mainville, has entered Wood's Business College for a Business Course.

Mr. W. L. McHenry, of Stillwater, was a caller at this office on business on the 22d instant.

Miss Margaret Sober, a teacher of Danville, recently visited her sister Mrs. Dr. Bierman.

Mrs. Harry Eshelman and Mrs. Turnbach and daughter are visiting friends in Brooklyn, New York.

Mrs. Freas Hicks of Hummelstown, is visiting at her father's, J. K. Lockard, on Fifth street.

County Treasurer Heddens of Danville, was in town on Tuesday. He is a brother of P. B. Heddens.

Miss Lizzie Marteena, of Berwick, is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Bodine, on Normal Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. George C. Roan are entertaining Mr. J. E. Frederick, of Turbotville, the father of Mrs. Roan.

Peter Weaver, of Bendertown, was in town recently looking after a gun with which he hopes to hold the crows off of his corn.

Mr. Frank Ackerly a successful merchant of Tompkinsville, stopped over in Bloomsburg yesterday while en route to Harrisburg.

Wellington Sands, who recently spent a short time visiting his home, is again at his post of duty in the carpet-mills of Bloomsburg.

Thos. Thorber, Gen. Sec. of Y. M. C. A. of Sharpsburg, is in town and will address the Men's meeting on next Sunday at 2:30 P. M.

Alex. Knouse does not intend to be crowded out of the race for the sheriffalty through false reports. He has a communication in this issue.

Dr. Willits has removed his office from the rooms over J. M. Gidding & Co's. store to Room No. 2, Bedal Gold Cure Institute, Sixth and Market streets.

Mr. Daniel Wenner, street commissioner of Fishingcreek township, visited Bloomsburg on Tuesday to make another payment on their road-making machine.

Mr. B. F. Armstrong, the efficient secretary of the Y. M. C. A., will soon transfer his labors from here to the running of a gospel wagon through the Wyoming Valley.

Rev. C. W. Hipple, of Nuremberg, was among those in attendance at the Christian Endeavor Convention, and who visited "THE COLUMBIAN" while in town.

The doctors of Philadelphia pronounce Mrs. Z. H. Stevens' long continued case of helplessness from spinal affection as curable in time. For years this lady has been bedridden.

G. M. Lockard and John Mosteller have returned from Harrisburg, where they took the Keeley Cure. They are looking and feeling well, and speak very highly of the treatment.

Mrs. McBride, of New Columbus, an aged and zealous church worker, accidently discovered recently that she was blind in one eye. Upon examination, cataract of the eye was found to be the trouble.

Mr. E. J. Bowman, of Berwick, who has undergone successful treatment at the Bedal Cure Institute of Bloomsburg, is now a renovated and rejuvenated citizen of intelligent and gentlemanly deportment.

Mr. Boyd Trescott, of the "Millville Tablet," was in town on Saturday in company with other teachers. They came to be examined for permanent certificate to teach. Mr. Trescott is an experienced teacher.

Mr. Samuel Badal, a native of Persia, and graduate of Drew Theological Seminary after a two years' course of study, is now visiting friends in Bloomsburg. As an independent missionary he will return to Persia in August.

David Wenner, of Bendertown, who visited Bloomsburg recently, a well man upon his arrival, found himself scarcely able to speak after spending a short time here. He caught a cold in some unaccountable way that for a time rendered him almost speechless. Some folks talk too much when they come to town, but it was not so with David on this occasion.

County Treasurer J. R. Fowler, W. B. Taylor, M. Ellenbogen, J. G. Wells, Frank Ikeler, G. S. Robbins, J. R. Schuyler, J. M. Clark, and many others, went down to Northumberland on Tuesday to see high water ; and L. Gross, Isaiah Hagenbuch and others went to Milton, where they rode in a boat in the main business street with the water eight feet deep.

Splendid knee pants suits, 2 extra pair pants and coat, $2.25. Gidding & Co.

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It's a risk you can't afford to run—can't afford any way when we can supply you with an article that is beyond question. We handle the best makes of Shoes for Children. BOYS need no longer wear girls' shoes as we have a line made especially for the small Boys. Ladies who wear Spring Heeled Shoes will find a good assortment at the store of W. C. McKINNEY.

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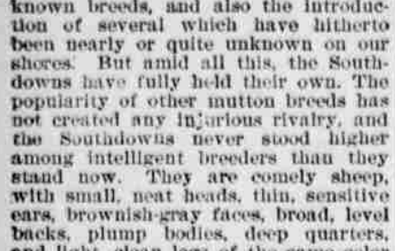
SOUTHDOWN SHEEP.

Characteristics of this Favorite Breed and American Methods.

The revival in the sheep interest througout the country has caused greater importations of the well-known breeds, and also the introduction of several which have hitherto been nearly or quite unknown on our shores. But amid all this, the Southdowns have fully held their own. The popularity of other mutton breeds has not created any injurious rivalry, and the Southdowns never stood higher among intelligent breeders than they stand now. They are comely sheep, with small, neat heads, thin, sensitive ears, brownish-gray faces, broad, level backs, plump bodies, deep quarters, and light, clean legs of the same color as the face. Full-grown ewes and wethers, in good condition, average in weight from 150 to 200 pounds. The fleece is dry and the staple of middling length, somewhat harsh, but strong and durable. The fleeces average from five to eight pounds of washed wool. It is the quality of their flesh which gives the Southdowns their pre-eminence. The mutton is delicate and juicy, with the lean nicely marbled with fat, and unsurpassed in flavor. The ewes are prolific, good mothers, and good nurses. The breed is prepotent, impressing its characteristics on all others with which it is crossed. The Southdowns must be kept in small flocks, and well cared for. They are not adapted to "rustling" in large flocks, like Merinos, but are well-fitted for the farmer who works a moderate area and will care for them. The American Southdown Association, which numbers in its membership not only leading breeders but also gentlemen who are eminent in public life, is in a very flourishing condition, financially and otherwise. Two volumes of its "Record" have been issued, and the work on the third is well advanced. The price of these volumes has been reduced to $2.50 each for members of the Association. The entry fees are as follows: For American-bred animals, or animals imported previous to April 1, 1889, owned by members, one dollar each; owned by non-members, two dollars each; animals imported from Great



Britain since April 1, 1889, five dollars each. The officers of the Association are: President, J. H. Potts, Jacksonville, Ill.; secretary, S. E. Prather, Springfield, Ill.; treasurer, De Witt Smith, Bates, Ill.; directors, C. M. Clay, Kentucky; Hon. Levi P. Morton, New York; John Jackson, Canada. The Southdown interest is certainly in good hands, and the purity and high standard of the breed will be fully maintained.

American breeders and feeders of Southdowns pursue a system somewhat different from that in England. As with other classes of stock, early maturity is regarded here as a strong point. Instead of keeping a Southdown wether until it is three or four years old, with a view of producing the heaviest and ripest carcass possible, the American method is to feed high from the first, and produce first-class mutton at two years old or less. The question of profit depends largely upon early maturity. At the prices of meats and wool in this country, a one or two years' extra feeding is likely to make all the difference between profit and loss.—American Agriculturist.

APHORISMS FOR THE BARN.

Good care lightens the horse's load.

"Who enters here leaves pipe behind."

To bring up a worn-down horse, give it light work, not idleness.

With easy, well-fitting harness not so many oats are required.

Exercise is just as necessary to thrift in winter as in summer.

The man that knows the right use of a horse-blanket is a first-class horseman.

The horse-blanket saves feed and flesh—less substance is used to make animal heat.

Keeping matches in any other receptacle than an iron or tin box is tempting Providence.

Some people think a farm animal is like a postage stamp—no good until licked. They are sadly mistaken.

If the horse is subject to colic, give it a little salt and ashes on its grain once a day, and feed more oats and less corn.

It is a mistake to think mares can foal good colts when they can no longer work. The worn-out mare is not a profitable brood-mare.

The farm horse, having only light labor, and not much of that, during the winter, should have less grain and more roughness than during the summer.

A Patent Fertilizer.

This invention relates to a combination of chemicals to be used in connection with dry peat, or muck and unleached ashes, or with any refuse matter having fertilizing properties, to form a fertilizing compound; and it consists in combining dissolved bone, ground plaster, nitrate of soda, sulphate of soda and sulphate of ammonia, in proportion substantially as follows:

Dissolved bone, three bushels; ground plaster, three bushels; nitrate of soda, forty pounds; sulphate of soda forty pounds; sulphate of ammonia, thirty-three pounds. This mixture is incorporated with, say, twenty bushels of dry peat or muck, and three bushels of unleached ashes.

The manner of preparing a fertilizing compound from the above ingredients is as follows: The peat or muck and ashes, if such matter be used as the base of the mixture, are thoroughly mixed with the dissolved bone, and the nitrate of soda, sulphate of soda, and sulphate of ammonia, after being dissolved in water, added thereto. The ingredients are then incorporated with the ground plaster, after wich the compound is allowed to stand for, say, thirty or forty days, when it becomes ready for use.

THE BRIDE KNOCKED OUT.

A Comical Incident Growing Out of a Time-Honored Citizen.

A well-known drummer returning from a Southern trip relates the following story as of actual occurrence at a negro wedding in Charleston, S. C.:

After the ceremony had been concluded in the most approved style, the bridegroom, who was employed in one of the phosphate mines, a few miles from that city, bundled his bride into a rude cart, loaded some household effects into it, and prepared, among salvos of cheers and best wishes, to take her home.

At this stage of the proceedings one darky, who had travelled and been present as a waiter at the wedding of some white folks, suggested that the proper thing to do was to throw shoes after the departing couple as they drove away.

The idea took immensely, and such a scrambling as followed when the colored belles and beaux began to divest their feet of boots and shoes of various sizes and weights! Many of the men had no stockings on beneath their shoes, but that made no difference.

They all hung back, suppressing their enthusiasm until the happy bridegroom brought a bale stick down on the back of the mule and started his bridal trip. Then, with a howl of joy, the guests burst forth and began a fusillade which was by no means relished by the happy pair.

The air was filled with flying missiles. One gigantic boot struck the bridegroom in the small of the back and drew from him a wild yell of agony. Another, hurling through the air with unerring aim, struck the bride full on the head and knocked her senseless.

This was too much for the bridegroom. Leaping from his cart, with his bale stick in hand, he set about to thrash every one of the guests. As might be inferred, a wild riot ensued, or was about to, when a policeman came up and put a stop to it. Nothing, however, could appease the dusky bridegroom until the officer assured him that he was not the victim of an indignity, but merely the object of a bridal custom such as white folks always observed.—Cincinnati Commercial.

His Capability.

Jonnie—Why don't you go on the stage, like Sandow, Mr. Flusher?

Mr. Flusher—Why Johnnie?

Johnnie—'Cause pa says you can carry the biggest load of any man he ever saw.—Judge.

An Historic Name.

"I was looking over the new city directory the other day," said a well-known gentleman, "and I was struck with the number of odd given names which belong to the colored people. That reminds me of a name which was in a family I knew some years ago. There was a boy in the family, and he was called by what seemed to be H. Ellis. One day I asked the father what the H. stood for, and he answered: 'Why, that's his name—just one name.' 'Well,' said I, 'I never heard it before; it's a new one to me.' 'Sho,' said he, 'I thought you was a educated gentleman, and here you tell me you don't know that name.' I had to confess my ignorance, and then I asked him how he spelled it. 'A-c-h-i-l-l-e-s.' I was wiser."—Indianapolis Journal.

Well Fortified.

The organizer of an arctic expedition was approached by a delicate looking fellow, who wanted to join the party.

"You don't look as if you could stand it," ventured the organizer.

"You'll find me a kind of a singed cat fellow," he returned confidently.

"Have you ever been in the arctic regions?"

"No, not exactly."

"Have you had any experience in that line at all?"

The applicant got a brace on himself.

"Well," he responded, "I should say I had. I was engaged for two years to a Boston girl," and the organizer accepted that as a recommendation.—Detroit Free Press.

Larry Evidently Likes Profanity.

Harry—You are evidently interested in Prof. Garner's efforts to interpret the language of monkeys.

Larry—I am. It would be refreshing to know what a monkey thinks of a modern dude, of the small boy in general, and the man that gives him a bit of tobacco.—Pittsburg Bulletin.

The Retort Discourteous.

Mrs. Smarte—Oh, you needn't make any excuses. I can read you like a book.

Mr. Smarte—Precisely. When you read a book, you skip all the noble, soul-inspiring passages and read only the trash.

Mrs. Smarte—The book I had in my mind is all trash.—Boston Transcript.

Horse on Him.

Howson Lott—Talk of horses! A bicycle is the thing. Why, I've ridden one for two years, and it hasn't cost me a cent, even for repairs.

Lon Mower (inquiring as to make)—Whose?

Howson Lott—Well, to tell the truth, it's my brother-in-law's!—Puck.

Knew How to Wait.

Van Jorkins (to applicant for position of butler)—You are familiar with waiting?

John Thomas—Oh, yes, sir.

"Where did you get your experience?"

"I was a fashionable tailor, sir, and I gave long credits."—Epoch.

Correct Estimate.

Tourist (in Oklahoma)—What is the population of this town?

Alkali Ike (promptly)—Eight hundred and sixty-seven souls and thirty-one real estate agents.—Puck.

FOR KEEPING A COW.

There is a man in Chicago who pays $18,000 a year for the privilege of keeping a cow.

He is a sane man, a business man, a man of family and generally respected in the community. His poor relatives declare him a freak, and his neighbors shrug their shoulders and murmur things about rich men's whims.

The way of it is, he possesses a valuable building lot in a choice residence portion of the city, and, having nothing else to do with it, he put a nice little fence around it and quartered therein his pet Jersey cow. The cow was an artistic cow, and harmonized well with the green turf and lilac bushes, so people rather admired the arrangement. One day a man came along who thought he would like to build a house on that particular lot, so he hunted up the owner and made him a spot cash offer of $300,000 for the land. His offer was refused, decisively and politely.

"But," remonstrated a relative, aghast, "that would pay you $18,000 a year! Why on earth did you refuse it?"

The rich man lit a cigar and turned a protesting face on his accuser; "yes," he assented in a puzzled way, "but what would I have done with my cow?"

"I had no ambition to do anything. Hood's Sarsaparilla has made me feel like a new person." Mrs. Viola Kreider, Conestoga, Pa.

Twelve Year Old Boy Run Over by a Heavy Land Roller.

The youngest son of Omer Chaffee, a lad twelve years old, had a narrow escape from death last Saturday. Mr. Chaffee lives near LeRaysville, and was rolling land with a heavy roller. He left the boy holding the horses while he was after a drink, and returning gave the boy permission to ride on the roller and drive the team up to the barn. In starting up, the boy was thrown headlong in front of the roller, face downward, and the heavy roller passed entirely over him.

It is miraculous, indeed, that the boy was not killed. The LeRaysville Advertiser says he sustained serious injuries, the radius bone of the right arm being broken about an inch above the wrist and the wrist dislocated; one ankle was sprained, a scalp wound on the back of the head about two inches long and severe bruises on the body. The boy was picked up for dead, as blood oozed from the mouth and ears.

The boy is doing well, and unless something internal sets in, is in a fair way to recover. Being thrown on his face and the roller passing gradually from the feet to the head was undoubtedly most fortunate, for had the weight struck his head first, it would probably have crushed that member and resulted fatally.—*Weekly Review.*

What will do it.

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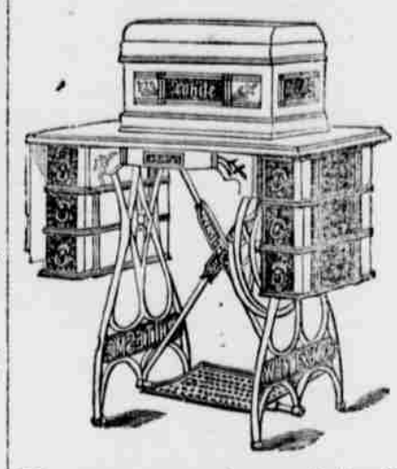

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IN CONGRESS.

Mr. Buttz Buts Against A Little Democratic Integrity.

AN INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION AT ATLANTA, GA.

English Diplomacy Defeated—Representative Hatch Cross—Retrenchment the Order—Coxey's Flour and Cash.

From our Regular Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 22, 1894.

The public received its first knowledge this week that in addition to other more or less disreputable methods of defeating tarift legislation attempts had been made to bribe Senators to vote against the tariff bill, but the Democratic managers of the tariff bill have known for sometime that an attempt had been made by a lobbyist named Buttz, once a carpet-bag, Republicar member of the House from South Corolina, to bribe Senators Hunton, of Virginia, and Kyle, of South Dakota, to vote against the bill. Buttz claimed to represent a wealthy syndicate which was prepared to spend $1,000,000 to defeat the tariff bill. He went to the house of Senator Hunton and told a son of that gentleman that his father could have $25,000 if he would agree to vote against the bill. Senator Hunton ar once informed half a dozen Democratic Senators. Buttz had the audacity to broach the subject to Mr. Kyle in person. That gentleman referred him to his private secretary, after instructing that functionary to have a witness to their conversation, and in the presence of a witness Buttz offered to give Mr. Kyle $14,000 to vote against the bill. Mr. Kyle at once placed these facts in the hands of the Democratic Senators and expressed his willingness to aid in bringing this would-be briber to justice. It has not yet been decided what, if any, action will be taken by the Senate, but there is little doubt that these attempts will hasten the passage of the tariff bill.

Secretary Hoke Smith has added to his popularity with Georgians by the help he has given the delegation from Atlanta, here this week to work up Congressional interest in the International Exposition to be held at Atlanta in the fall of 1895. They do not want a government appropriation for the exposition, but only ask that Congress recognize it to the extent of authorizing a government exhibit in a building to be erected by the government. This recognition is necessary if foreign governments are to be represented at the exhibition. Speaker Crisp and the entire Georgia delegation in Congress are working like beavers to secure what is wanted, and the Speaker, before going home to attend his mother-in-law's funeral, placed his room at the Capitol at the disposal of the visitors and it is being used as their headquarters.

It is now easy to understand why this government took such strong grounds in favor of the government of Brazil and against the insurgents, although it was only this week that it became so. From information that has leaked out through gossip in diplomatic circles there is little doubt that the stand taken and maintained by President Cleveland during the Brazilian contest was the only thing that prevented the carrying out of the plot instigated and backed by the government of Great Britain for the overthrow of the Brazilian republic and the setting up of a monarchy that would have been dominated by Great Britain. President Cleveland and Secretary Gresham were conversant with the plot from its beginning and were determined to thwart it. The failure of that plot is believed to have been at the bottom of the dilatoriness of the British government in making arrangements to carry out the Behring Sea arbitration. The Britishers were mad at Uncle Sam for spoiling their little grab game.

Representative Hatch, of Missouri, is no longer a young man, having passed his sixtieth milestone last September, but his courage is just as young as it ever was, and when accused by Representative Hopkins, of Illinois, of trying to juggle an increase of salary for a friend into the Agricultural appropriation bill, which is in his charge, he said, shaking his fist significantly at Hopkins: "If the gentleman from Illinois means that word in its ordinary English significance, I want to tell him that if he should use it to me outside of this chamber, I would ram it down his throat."

Retrenchment in government expenditures has been the watchword of the Democrats who have made the regular appropriation bills for this Congress; and the Legislative, Executive and Judicial appropriation bill, completed by the House committee on appropriations this week, shows how well they have worked up to the watchword. This is the bill that carries salaries of all officials, and 558 fewer of them are provided for than were in the bill for the current fiscal year. It also carries $766,199 less than this year's appropriation, a very substantial reduction when everything is taken into consideration.

"Distance lends enchantment to the view." Since Coxey moved his tramps out to Bladensburg, Md., Washington has lost all interest in them, but a car load of flour and some cash has this week come to them from Missouri and Colorado, showing that there are people who have not yet seen them as they are.

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Panoramic Views of the California Mid-winter Exposition.

Not before, since the excitement following the discovery of gold by John Marshall, at Sutter's Mill, in 1848, has there been such a rush of people to California; not in pursuit of gold, however, but by persons who desire to see the magnificent, the world surprising displays at the Mid-winter Fair. But while thousands are visiting the Fair, hundreds of thousands are unable, for various reasons, to gratify their longings to attend that splendid exposition. This commendable, but unappeased, ambition may, nevertheless, be gratified by all the readers of the COLUMBIAN, who will take the trouble to secure Parts 17 and 18 of "Magic City," which we are now distributing at a price that barely covers the expense of producing them. These two concluding parts of our splendid World's Exposition Portfolios contain no less than forty views of the fine buildings and attractions of the Mid-winter Fair, including among the collection also pictures of the reproduced life in California, during the days of the gold excitement, as it was shown at the Fair. Among these characteristic views are photographs of gambling places, saloons, theatres, a mining camp, washing and panning for gold, Mount Shasta, free-and-easies, dance houses the fandango, toll house, stage drivers, and indeed all the wonderful life on the coast in 1849-50. This is the greatest feature of the Mid-winter Fair, and photographs in parts 17 and 18 of "Magic City" will show them almost as satisfactorily as the reality. But besides these there are pictures of all the other leading attractions and displays, enabling those who secure these parts to see the Fair with a degree of satisfaction almost equal to a personal attendance.

Our distribution of the "Magic City" series has been a magnificent success, not alone from a standpoint of the extent of circulation, but because it has been so thoroughly appreciated by everyone who has secured the series. We feel a pleasure in the fact that of the many World's Fair Portfolios handled by other papers none have been so complete, so beautiful, so meritorious in every respect as the "Magic City." Our patrons are thus convinced that they can rely upon us to serve them faithfully, and to give them every advantage that is possible for us to secure; that we do not misrepresent or attempt to deceive; that every claim we have made as to the infinite superiority of "Magic City" over all other similar publications has been verified by every person who has compared them.

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How sad to our hearts are some scenes of our childhood,
As our recollections present them to view;
The use of the switch that was brought from the wildwood,
And various punishments most of us knew.
But saddest of all is the thought of the pill-box,
That mother brought out when she thought we were ill,
O! the griping, the aching, the twisting and torment
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Judge Savidge, of Sunbury, refused last week to issue naturalization papers to a Polander who bore a shaby reputation. The Judge did what was right. There are entirely too many of this kind of cattle being made citizens. All Judges we are sorry to say, do not look at this matter in the light that Judge Savidge does, and for this reason the responsibility of making American citizens should be shifted to the United States Courts.—*Montour American.*

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Y. P. S. C. E. At Catawissa.

Fifth Bi-County Convention—Remarkable Growth—Increasing Interest—Eleven New Societies In Six Months—$263.71 Raised For Missions.

The fifth convention of the Christian Endeavor Societies of Montour and Columbia counties was held in Catawissa Reformed church on Friday, May 11. One hundred nine delegates registered, representing fifteen societies, and the sessions, both afternoon and evening, were interesting and well attended. The congregational singing, under the direction of Dr. Graydon, was inspiring, and the exercises throughout were rendered interesting and often impressive by the vocal selections of the Misses Dechant and Stroh and Dr. and Mrs. Graydon. Several well rendered selections by the orchestra of the Bloomsburg Lutheran church during the evening session and the reception were much appreciated.

The afternoon session opened with devotional exercises conducted by Miss Sue L. Dechant of Catawissa. Then came an eloquent address of welcome by Rev. R. E. Butz and the response, full of practical thought and suggestion, by Pres. Richardson, of Berwick.

Mr. B. F. Armstrong, General Secretary of the Bloomsburg Y. M. C. A., by clear statement and apt illustration, showed the essential importance of Bible study. Christian growth must be from the centre out, like the building of the temple—first the altar, representing communion with God, as we attain it in the study of His word; then the construction of the temple building, representing active service; and, lastly, the walls surrounding the temple, or separation from the world. In order to work efficiently in building the spiritual temple, we must first have Bible study.

The program provided next for a conference on the C. E. Prayer meeting under two heads. The first, How to Prepare for it, was opened by Rev. C. M. Aurand, of Berwick. He thought the leader should first acquaint himself thoroughly with the subject, make brief remarks himself and ask beforehand a few others to prepare short talks. He should select and assign to members several texts and readings relating to the subject. The audience should come in a spiritual frame of mind, bring Bibles with them, and be accustomed to finding texts quickly. The second division of the subject, How to Conduct the Prayer-meeting, was opened by Miss Dora Breece, of Bloomsburg, with an excellent paper in which she suggested that the leader should know in advance that he is to lead the meeting, so that he may have time for prayer over and study of the subject. He should have a plan in view for conducting the meeting, but no stereotyped form, fully depending on the Holy Spirit, and yielding to Him the real leadership, thinking the while. "This is Thy meeting; use Thy servant as Thou seest best." The leader should show by his manner that he is enthused with the subject. Have much singing. Aim to have each member take part. All prayer should be voluntary on the part of members, and do not undertake to have a prayer-meeting without prayer. The discussion of this topic emphasized the importance of avoiding a rut by getting up something new for each prayer-meeting.

Rev. P. A. Heilman, of Bloomsburg, gave a very helpful address on the C. E. Pledge. Since God has given us so many thousand promises we should be willing to give Him the few named in our pledge. If we love the Word we will enjoy reading it. God never wearies of our prayers, no matter how oft' repeated.

The nominating committee named the following, who were unanimously elected officers for the ensuing year; Pres., J. D. Howery, Danville; V. P., Horace Breece, Berwick; Sec'y, Miss Sue L. Dechant, Catawissa; Treas., Chas. E. Kesty, Bloomsburg. The recommendation of the committee, that silver and moss green be selected for the streamer to represent our union on the state colors, was also approved and Misses Breece and Bogenrief were appointed a committee to obtain them.

The roll call of the union was responded to by fifteen societies with interesting reports of work done and progress made the last six months. The successful session of the afternoon closed with the benediction by Rev. G. B. Dechant.

For the evening session the church was crowded, many standing and others going away unable to obtain admission. After an excellent praise service, conducted by Dr. Graydon, in his usual efficient manner, Rev. J. I. Good of Reading delivered the address of the evening, urging upon the societies higher aims, nobler motives, greater spirituality. Christian Endeavor is helpful to the church in that it gives every one something to do, prompts to good thoughts and service, develops the spiritual, putting that in advance of the Worldly, and induces promptness, a very important habit in this age, in the church as well as in worldly affairs. Christian Endeavor prompts submission, self surrender. When we surrender to God we gain victory over God and ourselves. His will becomes our will. The motive at the bottom of the pledge is self submission. You agree to do certain things which require self denial, consecration, unself ing self. Paul very frequently calls himself the servant, or slave, of Jesus Christ. Christian Endeavor builds us up on our weakest side, which is apt to be our passion side. It is harder to bear than do—to forbear that bear. Christian Endeavor not only empties the heart of sin, but fills it with Christ; for God's spirit, like nature, abhors a vacuum. The audience showed their deep interest by giving the closest attention throughout the lecture.

The bi-county secretary called attention to the prize banners hanging in view of the audience, which had been won by Pennsylvania at the international convention held in Montreal last July. The one was a badge banner, representing over two hundred different societies, and was won by Pennsylvania the second time for having organized the greatest number of new societies during the previous year. The other banner was given to the state whose delegates traveled the greatest aggregate number of miles in going to the international convention. The names of eleven new societies have been reported since our convention at Orangeville last October. We now have in our bi-county union twenty-nine societies with a membership of about 1,300, divided denominationally as follows: 2 Union Societies, 3 Baptist, 3 Lutheran, 5 Presbyterian, 7 Evangelical, and 9 Reformed. These societies have raised since April 1, 1893:

For Missions	$263.71
" District Work	19.00
" State Work	13.71
" Other Objects	408.83
Total Contributions	$705.25

The three societies reporting the largest amount raised for missions are:

Berwick Presbyterian	$130.00
Bloomsburg Lutheran	44.00
Bloomsburg Baptist	30.00

The largest three contributions for all objects were reported by these societies.

Bloomsburg Presbyterian	$243.41
Berwick Presbyterian	185.82
Bloomsburg Lutheran	113.25

Since April 1, 1893, sixty-four associate members have joined the church. We have four Junior Societies in Bloomsburg and one in Berwick, with a total membership of 187. By motion the secretary was directed to have an abstract of his encouraging report printed in the papers of the two counties.

The convention closed with a consecration meeting, conducted by Rev. C. H. Brandt, of Bloomsburg. The reception which followed the convention was a source of pleasure to all, and added another to the many proofs already received by the visiting delegates of the generous hospitality of the good citizens of Catawissa.

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The programme for the big Pennsylvania German celebration at Mt. Gretna, on July 20, has been completed. There will be a lecture on German contributions to education in America and Dr. S. A. Baer, of Reading, will discuss the Pennsylvania Germans. There will also be a general discussion of the question of bringing the importance of Pennsylvania's historical position to the pupil's attention.

Farmers are not over boastful of the peach and cherry prospects this year. Peaches have for years been unreliable in this latitude, but we fancy the farmer has not been watchful enough of the modern enemies of peaches, since they are attacked both through the soil and through the atmosphere these days. So far as blossoms indicate it, we should say all fruits are promising this year; but they are subject of course to the influential elements in the hands of God alone.

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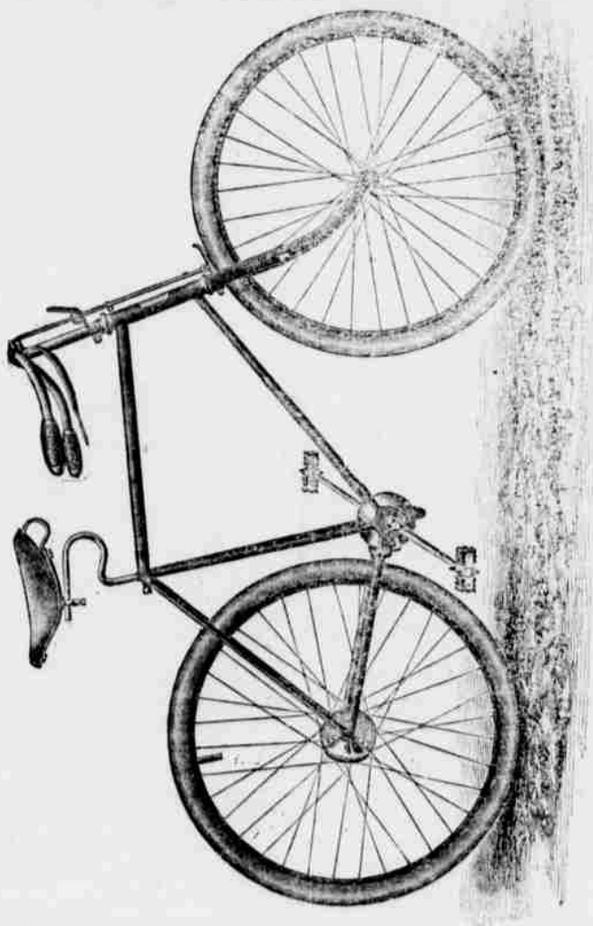

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A little more pressure; some sudden grief, real or even imagined unkindness from loved ones, and over the brink fall one more victim of nervous prostration.

It came upon you so quietly, in the beginning, that you were not alarmed. But when sleep deserted you night after night, until your eyes fairly burned the darkness, then you tossed in nervous agony, praying for sleep.

You ought to have known when you ceased to be regular in your courses, and you grew so irritable without cause, that there was serious trouble somewhere.

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TARIFF REVISION UNDER DIFFICULTIES.

The merits and demerits of the protective tariff as we have it will no doubt be the better understood by the American people in consequence of the bitter and determined struggle of capitalists to maintain the monopoly they control by force of favorable legislation. They have shown themselves capable already of bidding high or low, if you please, for the special advantages they hold. To avoid the equitable reformation sought by Democracy in behalf of the masses as against the classes they have shown themselves competent to intimidate, threaten and fillibuster to an extent unprecedented in all our past history as a "government by, of and for the people." At every step of the tariff bill's advancement towards completion it has been, and will be, arrested by monopolists through hired Senatorial and House representatives.

Though General Logan is dead his wife survives him, she being at present the conductor of a magazine at Washington which lately said: "Let Congress act promptly on the tariff bill, and if possible enable capitalists to start the many industries now lying idle." She might have added without distorting the truth any, "lying idle for political effect and their ultimate advantage."

The tariff question, being older than Mrs. Logan, was frequently pulled apart and stuck together again while General Logan was living, and it sometimes happened that it was the height of Republican wisdom to pretend, at least, to reform it in the interest of the masses as against the classes; and, if we remember right, her husband along with Grant, Sherman, Butler, Banks and others, sometimes uttered words, perhaps calculated to tickle the ears of their humbler constituants (and right sharp ones,) against continuing for the special benefit of our manufacturers a high war-tariff in time of peace.

To the writer it seems this bull-dog battle that Cleveland is instigating against the classes and in favor of the masses is only in fulfilment of his honest promises to the sovereign power that elected him, and were he to let loose to-day, to-morrow there would be no congressional effort toward tariff reformation or income-taxation. The victory would be with the money-power entirely and completely. If Grant was a bull-dog in war, Cleveland is one in peace, and we verily believe there are both Senators and Representatives standing by Cleveland in this stubborn fight who had much rather be excused if they could do so and still maintain the good will of the President. There is but little doubt about this in the mind of the writer.

REPUBLICAN NOMINEES.

The following is the Republican ticket as nominated at the convention which met at Harrisburg on the 23d instant:

For Governor,
DANIEL H. HASTINGS, of Centre.
For Lieutenant Governor,
WALTER LYON, of Allegeheny.
For Auditor General,
AMOS H. MYLIN, of Lancaster.
For Secretary of Internal Affairs,
JAMES W. LATTA, of Philadelphia.
For Congress-at-Large,
GALUSHA A. GROW, of Susquehanna,
GEORGE F. HUFF, of Westmoreland.

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Just A Little Dirt Uncovered.

Under title of "Big amounts offered Senators to vote against the tariff bill," the trifling matter of $25,000 is mentioned as a single bid for a single vote. While this money looks large to an honest constituent there is nothparticularly unique about it in Congress. The interests involved with large manufacturers are so heavy sometimes that $25,000 is not regarded as much, if by putting it where it will do the most good, high protection will still continue to protect. If nothing else proved that there is big money in high protection for particular individuals these constant bids for votes prove it. It is not always of course that the bidders names are made known. The disclosure of this $25,000 bid is purely accidental. It seems that some one has thoughtlessly let it out that Senator Hunton was indirectly offered $25,000 for his vote, and the like amount was tendered Senator Kyle through his private secretary. There is nothing strange about it.

Until the lobbyist knows his man he is, of course, obliged to operate indirectly, but he operates all the same. If tariff reform is virtually defeated to-day (and Republicans so declare it through Chauncey Depew, who is reported as saying that business will now boom again) we may pretty safely attribute it to the efficacy of cash for votes—Democratic votes, Republican votes and Populists votes. The "boodle" so called, has been dropped carelessly around the House and Senate and into the hands of male and female lobbyists, or wherever it will do the most good directly or indirectly for reviving business, as they say. How devilish patriotic and sympathetic they are!

It is no doubt true that unless particular classes are highly protected in their highly profitable business, and to detriment of unprotected industries, the business of these particular classes will be less profitable and hence less detrimental to others who are more deserving of national help and special favor, just because they have never yet received it. Such indeed, is the case with the languishing farmer of protected America, since he can go to Canada and buy American-made plows cheaper than he can buy them at home, just for the want of a little free trade, don't you see?

The salvation of our beloved country we think, after all, lies in the valuable knowledge the farmer is getting from experience rather than from books and political tracts and oratory just before election.

As for oratory just before election, it don't seem to be so eloquent as it used to be with the farmer, though it can hardly be that native eloquence is on the decline. We had rather attribute it to the scarcity of stumps now generally drawn, and from which our heroic statesmen of old used to pour forth their burning eloquence, the impress of which would at least cover the day of election. Mr. Buttz, the lobbyist involved in the recent disclosure of several little $25,000 bids for protection. claimed furthermore to know where a million dollars might be reached by Senators and Representatives who are willing to listen to money talk. For one we believe there is too much money involved in tariff reformation for the present Congress to effect a radical reformation against the classes and in favor of the masses. But let us at least give Democracy credit for having made a rather stubborn effort.

Either a Lie or a License to Marry Hereafter.

It looks as though peace and equity can never prevail until we have an interstate marriage license law. The law as we have it in Pennsylvania rather discriminates against our preachers, and it favors Jersey preachers who can marry anybody without license. But New Jersey now anticipates a marriage-license, we are glad to learn, though its restrictions apply only to Pennsylvanians and other non-residents of New Jersey. If Pennsylvanians would not lie so when about to marry the prohibition might prohibit their going to New Jersey and passing themselves off as Jersey folks just in order to marry without license. Though the Federal Constitution declares that "the citizens of each State shall be entitled to all privileges and immunities of citizens in the several States," how are you going to reconcile it when one state says "you may marry here all you want to without leave or license, while an adjoining State says "you can do nothing of the kind." But Pennsylvania certainly owes a slice of wedding-cake to Jersey, if nothing more, for requiring that foreigners who come there to evade the marriage law of their respective States must either lie or get a license before they can legally marry even in Jersey hereafter. We mention the matter as a bit of encouragement to Pennsylvania preachers, though we are still fearful that all runaway matches will naturally gravitate to Jersey and lie as often as need be, as to their nativity, for the purpose of marrying without license. It will be either lie or license hereafter in Jersey, and we are inclined to think it will be lie mostly.

Immense bargains—Gidding & Co's. $8.48 suits.

PROGRESS OF TARIFF BILL.

While the end of it is now said to be in sight by hopeful Democrats, the metal schedule upon which the highest kicking will be done has just been reached in the tedious revision.

"We expect to begin gathering taxes under the Wilson bill on the first day of July," says the sanguine Senator Jones.

If the income-tax proposed is not eliminated from the bill there need not be so much objection to giving our manufacturers their usual monopoly, provided it is possible to collect an income-tax from them. But there is the rub. If they refuse to pay an income tax and still insist upon being protected in their various monopolies, for one we say sock it to them from both ways—from tariff revision and from income-taxation. It will not hurt them, and it will do the masses a great deal of good. They can't learn any younger that the masses need protection as well as individuals. The Government needs it to day a great deal worse than the particular industries she has fostered until they are too arrogant and haughty to permit equitable legislation for the masses as against the classes, and of which they are, indeed the upper tendom both in political and social influence as well as in all our commercial relations at home and abroad. We would like to, but we cannot agree with sanguine Democrats that the tariff will undergo any substantial reformation, or that an income-tax upon fabulous wealth will be successfully assessed and collected, commencing, as they intimate, upon the first day of next July.

Mr. Quay, having already unloaded himself of 350 columns of argument in favor of high protection of the metals, has only stopped to load up again from the inexhaustible supply of high tariff statistics to be found in the tons of old Congressional Records.

Then our sugar industries, the sweetest plum in America, are unfavorably located for a rigid revision this session. And as for our lumber industries, so far as Pennsylvania is concerned the heavenly elements seem to have settled this industry until more trees grow on the west branch of the Susquehanna.

Geo. Andrews, of Lowell, with ulcers over half his body, cured by Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

Public Printer Benedict Settling Down To Business.

The Public Printer was a little late about being appointed and confirmed, but having once got there he very soon began to level things up politically. Accordingly he has issued about 700 leaves to quit which will be distributed among the other fellows within to make room for some of his own kind without. In the printing business there are but few places held by those in office that cannot be duplicated by those who want office, and who, being in political harmony, should have first chance in our opinion. If elective offices belong to the victors, so ought appointive offices for sake of political harmony and the perpetuation of the successful issue.

Wm. Johnson
Normanville, Pa.

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"During the winter of 1887, I was injured on one limb while coasting. It did not trouble me much at first, but soon became more painful, my strength began to decline and I could not rest at night. I was attended by several different doctors but all failed to check the trouble and I grew rapidly worse. Early in 1890 I had to use crutches and my health was very poor, having lost my appetite and being reduced in flesh. In the fall of 1891 I had to take to my bed and it was thought

I Would Not Live

until spring. During all this time I had tried many different medicines but did get relief. In the meantime to give me relief, the several bunches around my knee were lanced and later every effort made to heal the running sores but all in vain. Then it was, while confined to my bed last spring, that my father, having read much about the merits of Hood's Sarsaparilla,

HOOD'S Sarsaparilla CURES

decided to have me give it a trial. I have taken it regularly, using nearly ten bottles. All the sores but two are healed and these are nearly well. I have thrown away my crutches as I can walk, go to school and do some work. I have a good appetite and real good health and have increased in weight very much. Hood's Sarsaparilla has been a blessing to me." WILLIAM JOHNSON, Normanville, Pennsylvania.

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PROTECTION HAS FAILED.

Every nation must pass through commercial barbarism to commercial civilization, from protection to free trade. The desire to get rich at the expense of others is well-nigh universal. It is easy to persuade most people that to "protect" their own artisans from the competition of "foreign pauper labor" is an act of patriotism. This admitted, it is easily narrowed down to our own State, our own county, our own city, our own village, or even our own street. In the last century the farmers of Middlesex, the county in which London is situated, petitioned Parliament against improving the abominable roads of England. They frankly claimed that so long as the roads were bad they had a monopoly of the London markets for the sale of their vegetables, fruit and grain; that if the roads were improved the farmers of other countries would be able to bring their produce to the London markets, which would be very disastrous to the "industry" of Middlesex. This looks very foolish on the face of it, and yet in principle it is the doctrine of American protectionists to-day.—*Trumbull's Free Trade.*

Among other troubles in Jersey, outside of her proverbial and everlasting mosquito-plague, is now the unhappy rivalry of two State Senates. The Supreme Court may possibly determine which is the State Senate proper, but the mosquitoes will likely occupy the land forever.

CANDIDATES' CARDS.

The following persons announce themselves as candidates for the offices named, subject to the rules of the Democratic party.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE,
ANDREW L. FRITZ,
(North Side.)

FOR REPRESENTATIVE,
WM. T. CREASY,
of Catawissa township.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE,
E. M. TEWKSBURY,
of Catawissa township.

FOR STATE SENATOR, (24th District,)
WM. CHRISMAN,
of Bloomsburg.

FOR SHERIFF,
W. W. BLACK,
of Greenwood Township.

FOR SHERIFF,
J. B. McHENRY,
of Benton.

CHARTER NOTICE.

Notice of application for the renewal of the Charter of the Bloomsburg Iron Company.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Governor of Pennsylvania on Saturday, the Sixteenth day of June A. D., 1894, by Lloyd S. Wintersteen, William D. Beckley, Jeremiah J. Brower, Jasper E. Wilson, Joseph Sharpless, Isaiah W. Willits, Eleazor B. Brower, William H. Brower and Jay J. Brower, under the Act of Assembly approved April 29th, 1874, entitled "An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," and the supplements thereto, for the renewal of the former charter of the Bloomsburg Iron Company, incorporated on the 22nd day of June, A. D., 1839, under and by virtue of an Act of the General Assembly of Pennsylvania, for the term of twenty years, under the name, style and title of "The Bloomsburg Railroad Iron Company," which said charter was afterwards, on the 21st day of April A. D. 1858, by an Act of the General Assembly, extended for the term of fifteen years from and after the expiration of its then present charter, and the corporate named changed to "The Bloomsburg Iron Company," and by the Act of the General Assembly, approved the 12th day of March, A. D. 1870, entitled "An Act relative to the Bloomsburg Iron Company," was extended for the term of twenty years from and after the expiration of its then present charter.

The intended corporation whose charter is sought to be renewed is to be called "The Bloomsburg Iron Company."

The character and object of which corporation are for the purposes of the "manufacture of iron or steel, or both, or of any other metal, or of any article of commerce from metal or wood, or both," and for these purposes to have, possess, and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of said Act of Assembly and supplements thereto.

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You should have a new Umbrella by all means. Come and examine ours. Prices from $1.00 up.

In our Shoe Department

we carry a full line of children's, misses', boys', ladies', men's shoes, all of them the latest style. Have you seen our low shoes with high cut front to protect your stocking, if not, you should.

Grocery Department.

Have you ever tried our canned apples, put up in gallon cans at 25 cents? Lower than we can buy them at wholesale to-day. Our lines of canned fruit is the finest in town. Peaches, apricots, egg plum, green gages and pine apple, sliced and grated, French mushrooms, boneless sardines, salmon steaks, lobster cutlets.

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We have them down to 25c.
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Shades, Curtains, Mattings and Oil Cloths cheap.
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Ladies' undervests 5c., cheap at 25c.
3 pair fast black hose 25c.
Well made house wrappers complete $1.00.
Ladies' undervests 5c., cheap at 25c.
3 pairs of fast black hose 25c.
Well made house wrapper complete $1.00.
Ladies' undervests 5c', cheap at 25c.
3 pairs fast black hose 25c.
Well made house wrappers complete $1.00.
Ladies' undervests 5c., cheap at 25c.
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BLOOMSBURG, PA.

FRIDAY, MAY 25, 1894.

Entered at the Post Office at Bloomsburg, Pa as second class matter, March 1, 1888.

Legal advertisements are printed on the seventh page. tf.

Gidding & Co. for graduating suits.

We are beginning to think that the tariff bill should be spelled with a p.

Boy's knee pants suits (age 4 to 14) $1.48. Gidding & Co, the clothiers

J. L. Dillon received a fine lot of palms and other house plants last week.

The churches of Danville were opened on last Sunday for the first time in ten weeks.

Hon. E. M. Tewksbury announces his name this week as a candidate for re-election to the Legislature.

Gidding & Co. for men's suits.

Dr. M. J. Hess' dental rooms in Lockard's building have been newly papered. He has handsome offices.

The Davis Bros., Big 10 ct. Show, that has been appearing to large audiences throughout the State, will appear here on the 24th, 25th, 26th inst.

Within a few years West street has come to be a street of pretty homes. It will soon be closely built up with nice residences from First to Fifth streets.

Julius Lindegren, the piano tuner, has left Bloomsburg, but will return the latter part of June. Orders for tuning may be left at the store of Peacock & Co. tf.

Gidding & Co. for boy's clothing.

At the beginning of the next fiscal year, July 1st, a change in the money-order system will take place, doing away with postal notes and lowering the rates on money-orders.

Have you seen the new bonnet? No, I have had such a bad headache of late, and been so bilious that I could not go out—remedy—Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills. 2t.

The forty-first annual conclave of the Grand Commandery Knight's Templar of Pennsylvania was held at Pittsburg, Pa., this year. C. F. Knapp and C. H. Reice were representatives from Bloomsburg.

There will be a meeting of the Prohibition County Committee on Saturday, at ten o'clock, in Prohibition Club Room, in Corell's building, to elect delegates to the State Convention at Williamsport, Pa.

Gidding & Co. for clothing, hats, &c.

The incoming board of grand officers of the Knights of the Golden Eagle, lately in session at Easton, Pa., were instructed to take action making the Grand Castle a co-operative body. The next Grand Castle will be held at Williamsport, Pa.

Remember Gidding & Co., the clothiers, when coming to town.

The Baltimore Provision House is doing a rushing business. They keep all kinds of fruits and vegetables, and the latter kept fresh by a constant sprinkling of water. The proprietor and clerks look like city green grocers with white caps and aprons. An arc light makes a brilliant illumination at their stand.

DeWitt's Sarsaparilla is prepared, for cleansing the blood from impurities and disease. It does this and more. It builds up and strengthens constitutions impaired by disease. It recommends itself.—W. S. Rishton Druggist. tf

Mothers know where to take their boys when in need of good clothes—Gidding & Co.

Gidding & Co. for good clothing

Orders for announcing names of candidates for office, must in every instance be accompanied with the cash. The price is five dollars.

The Mercantile List is published this week. It appears on page 7.

Forty regular boarders take their meals at Phillips' Cafe.

Men's all wool summer suits, $7.98. Gidding & Co.

The Catawissa National Bank has declared a semi-annual dividend of three per cent.

There is no better flour than that made by R. R. Ikeler at the Hemlock Mills, and it is in great demand.

J. Boyd McHenry has formally announced himself in the papers as a candidate for Sheriff.

Honest Goods and Honest Dealings have made Gidding & Co. the busy clothing house that they are.

Chas. Krug's new planing mill is well under way. It will be of brick this time.

Boy's all wool suits, $3.50. Gidding & Co.

W. W. Black, of Rohrsburg, announces himself this week as a candidate for Sheriff.

J. R. Townsend is the leading Merchant Tailor of Columbia county. See his advertisement on fourth page. tf.

Let us remind you that now is the time to take DeWitt's Sarsaparilla. It will do you good. It recommends itself.—W. S. Rishton, Druggist. tf

William T. Creasy of Catawissa township, announces his name this week as a candidate for Representative from the south side.

If the rain don't cease, and our exchanges fail to reach us, it may become necessary for us to draw somewhat from the imagination in order to get out the COLUMBIAN this week.

It cures blood and skin disorders. It does this quickly and permanently. Is there any good reason why you should not use DeWitt's Sarsaparilla? It recommends itself. W. S. Rishtor, Druggist. tf.

Free lunch and free lemonade are generally popular. The new Baltimore Provision House squeezed some lemons for the invited public on Saturday night. They have certainly brushed up this corner and made it look business like.

In all cases where a mild but effective aperient is needed, Ayer's Pills are the best. They improve the appetite, restore healthy action, promote digestion, and regulate every function. No pill is in greater demand, or more highly recommended by the profession.

There will be a Temperance Entertainment at the M. E. Church at Stillwater, on Saturday evening, May 26th, under the auspices of the Stillwater W. C. T. U. Exercises to commence at 7.30 P. M. Admission free. Collection taken.

Gidding & Co, for well made clothing.

Hon. E. M. Tewksbury has set aside twenty sets of his quota of "Pennsylvania at Gettysburg," for soldiers residing in this county, who were in the battle, who will write to him, giving their regiment and company.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

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One of the windows of Gidding & Co. is tastefully decorated with arches and palms.

Russell Buckalew's residence on Rock street has been repainted, thereby greatly improving its appearance. P. K. Vannatta is doing the work.

There has been more building and painting and repairing and general brightening up in Bloomsburg this spring than for mary years before. This does not look like hard times.

The city papers of Monday the 21st were the last to reach Bloomsburg until Wednesday night, but they contained sufficient report of devastation to account for the delay of mails.

Creasy & Wells have several carloads of lumber stranded somewhere on the railroad by the high water. The lumber was ordered for the new addition to the Silk Mill.

Mr. W. H. Vanderherchen, of the Bloomsburg Carpet Mill, was married on the 16th., inst. in Philadelphia, to Miss Levering of that city. They will go to housekeeping in one of P. E. Wirt's houses on Fifth street.

What makes a house a home? The mother well, the children rosy, the father in good health and good humor. All brought about by the use of DeWitt's Sarsaparilla. It recommends itself.—W. S. Rishton, Druggist. tf.

The iron bridge at Eyer's Grove was carried off from one of the abutments by the high water on Monday. Commissioners Swank and Ikeler visited the spot on Tuesday, and are of the opinion that it can be replaced without much damage.

The Woman's H. and F. Missionary Society of St. Matthew's Lutheran church will hold their fifteenth anniversary meeting next Sunday evening, May 27th, instead of the regular service. An interesting programme has been prepared.

Besides those named last week as the owners of bird dogs, may be named Phin. Heddens who owns a fine bred Irish setter, well trained. Joseph Bidleman also owns a pup which will no doubt develop into a hunter. It is a thorough bred setter, and Joe claims that it will beat anything in town, in time.

Mr. James Magee's new residence on First street, at the head of West street, is a handsome structure, and commands a magnificent view on both sides, up the creek and down the valley, and over the town. From Fernville it looks like a castle on the rocks. The wonder is that some one did not see the beauty of the location years ago.

The name of Hon. Andrew L. Fritz is announced this week as a candidate for Representative. He has been a hard working member and watched closely the interests of his constituents. The custom of the Democratic party in this county is to give her representatives two terms in succession, and Mr. Fritz is justly entitled to a second term without opposition.

The only Phila. paper that reached Town last Tuesday was one that J. M. Gidding & Co., the Clothiers, had posted up on their plate glass windows. It was eagerly read by crowds who were anxious to hear the latest news about the flood. It certainly showed enterprising spirit, and we'll jot another mark down for Gidding & Co.

GREATLY IMPROVED.

It is with much gratification that we hear from many readers of THE COLUMBIAN that they observe marked improvement in the contents of the paper of late. It is our desire and intention that such shall be the case, and it was for that purpose that the services of an able and experienced writer and reporter have been secured by the employment of the present assistant editor, Mr. I. J. Jamison. The mechanical appearance has also been improved by new head letters, and by printing the name of the paper at the head of each page, and by numbering the pages. When the demand upon our columns for advertising space is great, we make it up to our readers by issuing an enlarged paper, a practice indulged in by no other paper in the county.

The office has been newly painted and papered, and generally overhauled, and will compare favorably with any printing establishment in eastern Pennsylvania. This, together the fact that the jobbing and advertising patronage were never better, encourage us to say that still further improvements may be looked for. THE COLUMBIAN ought to go into every house in the county.

CHINESE SACRED BIRDS.

This is the last week for the Chinese Sacred Birds which have been in the window of Gidding & Co., the Clothier. Saturday night will be their last. They will be followed by some new attraction the following Monday.

If dull, spiritless and stupid; if your blood is thick and sluggish; if your appetite is capricious and uncertain, you need a Sarsaparilla. For best results take DeWitt's. It recommends itself. —W. S. Rishton, Druggist. tf.

HE IS A CANDIDATE.

BENTON, May 21, '94.

EDITOR COLUMBIAN:

I ask a little space in your paper for the publication of a few lines in behalf of myself I understand that there has been a report noised around that I had withdrawn from the field as a candidate for Sheriff. Now I wish to say to the voters of Columbia County that it is false, and was raised by some one of the other candidates to injure me during the campaign. Probably if I would drop off, some one would feel more safe. But I am in the field and intend to stay there. Six years ago I was a candidate for Sheriff and was defeated and took that defeat as any honest Democrat should. I stood right with the Democratic party and rules, voted for the nominees. Now should not my claim be a good one? I think that the Democratic voters should this time support me, as I think my claim is an honest one.

ALEXANDER KNOUSE.

Will Not Be a Candidate.

Hon. S. P. Wolverton, member of Congress from this district, has authorized us to announce that he will not be a candidate for re-election for the third term. Of his re nomination and re-election, if he had desired it, there is not the slightest doubt, but his large law business has claims on his time that can not be ignored, and with the close of his present term he will retire to private life. His public record has been a long and profitable one to the people, and he retires with a record of which any man can be justly proud. No man in Pennsylvania stands higher than S. P. Wolverton and his retirement from Congress is a public misfortune.—*Sunbury Democrat.*

Horse Thieves About.

On the night of the 22nd. inst. two horses were stolen from the barn of Jacob Johnson, a farmer living upon the Land Improvement Co. farm near Bloomsburg.

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Mr. Choate was born in Salem, Mass., on January 24, 1832, and is, therefore, now in his sixty-second year. But his erect and firm carriage, his healthy complexion, his ever redundant vitality, seem to belie his age. His curling brown hair is only tinged here and there with a suspicion of gray, and his face is that of a man who might be judged to have borne an active part in the affairs of his time for, at the utmost, twenty-five years.

Despite these appearances, Mr. Choate has been an active factor in the more advanced life of New York city and State, both, legal, political and social, since 1856, when he first went to New York. A nephew of Rufus Choate, the famous jurist, the prestige of his name has never been anything but an incident in a career carved out by sheer force of indomitable will and extraordinary intelligence. Mr. Choate entered Harvard College at the age of eighteen, graduating with honors in 1852. He then followed a two years' course of lectures in the law school attached to Harvard, which was founded by Nathan Dane. While here his studies were supervised by the remarkable legal minds which the Dane Law School then boasted, among his preceptors being the Prof. Greenleaf whose work on evidence is a standard for future generations of lawyers. Mr. Choate graduated from the law school in 1854 and one year later was admitted to the bar in Massachusetts. In 1856 he qualified as a member of the bar in New York city, where he has since remained.

He entered the employ of Evarts, Butler & Southmayd, and within a year was a member of the firm, which was then known as Evarts, Southmayd & Choate. The firm at once began to take a prominent position at the New York bar, and to-day is known to every lawyer in the land.

The office and local practice of the firm was for many years Mr. Choate's occupation. William M. Evarts appeared in the larger number of cases which attracted national attention, and which the firm's reputation brought in in great numbers. In Mr. Choate during this period Mr. Evarts found an able coadjutor, fully worthy of his great genius, and one whose influence on his success Mr. Evarts has often acknowledged. But Mr. Choate's ability before long began to manifest itself clearly and originally. As a result of his ready wit and genial presence, as well as because of his distinction at the bar, Mr. Choate was made President of the New England Society in New York. He has for many years presided over the meetings of that

Hon. Joseph H. Choate.

body with characteristic urbanity and success. He was also elected President of the Union League Club. In recognition of his services to the Republican party he was in 1869 offered the nomination for Congress, which he, however, declined.

One of the most important trials in which Mr. Choate was concerned was the Fitz-John Porter court-martial at West Point. President Hayes directed that a new tribunal be appointed to reinvestigate the charges brought against Gen. Porter, upon which he had been disgraced. Mr. Choate was Gen. Porter's counsel, and secured a reversal of the verdict of the former court-martial.

Another case of his which attracted great attention was the trial of Gen. di Cesnola on charges of selling the art collection in the Metropolitan Museum of Art in New York city. Here, as in almost every legal battle which he has ever attempted, Mr. Choate triumphed.

With Hon. Delos McCurdy, Mr. Choate appeared for the defendants in the case against the Tilden Trust, in which an important legal point concerning the discretion of executors was raised. Here he was again successful. It is a matter of common report among lawyers that for his work on this case he received a fee of $100,000.

The great Standard Oil case, which was brought by the State of Ohio for the abolition of certain privileges of the corporation, was ably defended by Mr. Choate, and finally won by him. Again in the Stewart will case, Mr. Choate and Judge Rollins represented the heirs as against Judge Hilton. The litigation ended in a compromise.

Mr. Choate's recent connection with the suit of Mr. Laidlaw against Russell Sage for damages for injuries claimed to have been sustained while protecting Mr. Sage from a dynamite bomb in the hands of the assassin Norcross, and the jury's subsequent award of heavy compensation to Mr. Choate's client, are still fresh in the public mind.

But while giving his attention to intricate and involved questions of corporation law, and while demonstrating his ability as a forceful and impressive jury lawyer in common law cases, Mr. Choate has been at the same time engaged in the solution of many grave constitutional questions. His experience in this line has been so vast that only a few of the more important questions in which he has been interested within the past six or eight years can be cited.

The Kansas liquor law case, at the time it was tried, was much talked about. It involved the constitutional right to declare breweries and manufactories a nuisance under the law. The Neagle case, arising from an attack made by Judge Terry upon Mr. Justice Field, involved the constitutional right of the Federal Government to protect the person of Federal Judges.

In the Massachusetts fishery case the question at issue was the constitutional right of the State to prohibit certain fishing in Buzzard's Bay more than three miles from shore. Mr. Choate's connection with the Behring Sea seal fisheries case, which involved the international and constitutional rights of the United States, is a matter of history. Other weighty constitutional questions were the so-called Chinese exclusion case, where the issue was the right of the United States, under its Constitution and treaties, to send the Chinese resident in this country back to their native land; the Philadelphia Fire Association case, touching the constitutionality of the reciprocal taxation laws of New York, and the Canada Southern Railroad case, relating to the effect under the United States Constitution of reorganizations of foreign railroads which impaired the obligation in the contract of bonds held by United States citizens.

Various cases have been submitted to Mr. Choate for opinions with reference to the constitutionality of oleomargarine laws, of cigarette laws and also concerning the constitutionality of similar laws in cases involving the original package questions. The laws of various States in the Union have been concerned in these disputes.

TWO AKKA PIGMIES.

Daughters of the African Wilds, Dwarfish But Graceful.

For nearly two years the celebrated Dr. Stuhlmann, of Berlin, has been experimenting with his civilization theories on two Akka girls, whom he has brought for this purpose to the German capital. The two African pigmies, small as they are, have proved "elephants on his hand." In the first place he found it almost impossible to acclimate the little women, who although their size gives them the appearance of six-year-old children, are more than 20 years of age. They suffered especially during the winter months from the rigorous atmosphere of Northern Prussia, accustomed as they were to the unabating heat of the tropics. Another ob-

stacle to their happiness was the restraint of dress and customs to which it was necessary, for the sake of decency, to subject them in their new cultured surroundings.

It would not do to use the word dwarf in speaking of their size and build, for both Chicanalo and Asmini, though perhaps not complying in facial expression and color to our ideal of beauty, yet exhibit remarkable symmetry in their contour, and are agile and graceful little bodies. They feel awkward in the conventional dresses of European girls, and they object to long petticoats altogether. They insist upon arranging their own coiffure.

While these interesting dwarfs showed intelligence in learning the ways of civilization, their native ferocity seems to have been unconquerable. When angry, their disposition was murderous, and on more than one occasion they sought to kill those in charge of them. Dr. Stuhlmann finally decided to send them back to Africa, and it is interesting to know that when the day of departure arrived they cried bitterly. The pigmies, in their native forests, are very savage, and their language is an incomprehensible jargon. The little girls will not be returned to savagery, but their education will be continued in Africa.

Incorrigible.

"Yes," said the young man with plaid trousers and a big watch chain. "I must confess that I am deficient in musical taste."

"Perhaps the modern music bores you," said the pleasant young woman. "It does many people, you know."

"Yes; I don't care for modern music. There is one thing about the old songs that I like very much."

"What is that?"

"The fact that nobody sings them."

His Feelings Had Changed.

"About a year ago you challenged me to fight a duel," said a gentleman, entering the apartment of a second gentleman.

"I did, sir," sternly.

"And I told you that I had just been married and I did not care to risk my life at any hazard."

"I remember, sir," haughtily.

"Well," said the man, bitterly, "my feelings have changed; any time you want to fight let me know."

A Harlem Boarding-House Saint.

Landlady—Poor Mr. Lightweight died last week, and if any one ever deserved to go to heaven he did.

M. Heavygaul (who is slightly in arrears)—Why?

Landlady (weeping)—He always paid his board in advance, never complained if his bed wasn't made up, and oh, such a delicate appetite as that poor saint had.—Harper's Bazar.

Reasonable Precaution.

Lady Purchaser—Will you guarantee that this parrot will not swear?

Birdseller—Why, no, ma'am, not unless I know what kind of a family it is going into.

Both.

Marsy—Was that a marriage of love or money?

Darcy—Both. Love of money.

NOTES FROM GOTHAM.

THE RETIREMENT OF CHIEF SACHEM CROKER.

Mayor Gilroy as the Probable New Leader of Tammany—Big Issues Involved in the Coming Enlargement of the City's Environs.

Special New York Letter.

The practical retirement of Richard Croker as chief of Tammany Hall, and his probable succession by Thomas F. Gilroy, are the chief political topics of the moment. The movement was unexpected, but Croker grew weary of the worry and abuse he has had to stand up under. He has learned of late years to take interest in some things beside politics, and his love of horseflesh, in particular, is said to have lured him away from sympathy with the endless contentions of political management.

tical management. It is believed that Mayor Gilroy is to be the real leader of Tammany Hall hereafter, although he may not fill the office of Chief Sachem.

"It is funny," said a prominent Tammany politician the other day, "but New York politics attracts more attention than that of all the other cities going. I don't know why this is, but I suppose we ought all to feel complimented. You never hear of politics anywhere else, except about election time. I suppose it is all on account of the Tammany tiger and Wall street. These are two institutions the country is bound to keep its eyes upon."

With the retirement of Mr. Croker, some rather pleasant things will be said of that gentleman. He really has been a pretty mild sort of "boss," and bosses we must have. At least, I do not believe that any party will

Thomas F. Gilroy.

long hold power here except under the boss system. It seems as indigenous to this municipality as the Bowery is, and even Dr. Parkhurst, if he should get into power, would straightway be dubbed with the title of "boss." But the modern boss must be a pretty unique fellow. The foreign element in New York city is no longer principally of Irish extraction. The German, Italian, Hebrew and certain other elements have come in such large numbers, that it would seem that the Irish-American politician must soon retire. But, as a matter of fact, he has adapted himself to the situation with an address and diplomacy that was not supposed to be part of the Milesian character.

Sitting in a "cafe" the other day I was much amused by the conversation going on at the next table between a ward boss and one of his subordinates. These were the words I caught: "Now, there's ———. Look out for him. He's a big gun among the Italians, and you treat him as if he owned the ward. They like attention, so be very polite to him. Then there's ——. He is popular with the Germans, and they all hang together. Do everything you can to get his good will. Then don't forget ——. The Jews all have votes, and you want to show him as much attention as if he belonged to the Astor family."

After listening to this instruction for some time I concluded that the modern Tammany politician is considerable of a diplomat. In this view of the case, Mayor Gilroy will fill the bill as the new chief of Tammany. The Mayor is, in my opinion, beyond question the shrewdest and most suave political leader that our city has developed of recent years.

Mayor Gilroy is a man of rather a rare type, combining great executive ability and political activity with the manners and habits of an unassuming gentleman. He belongs to a new era

Mrs. Gilroy and Children.

of local politics, and the success that awaits him as the leader of such a political body as Tammany Hall will remain an open question for some time. He is happily married, and moves in a select circle of society.

The coming politics of this city is no doubt largely affected by the coming anticipated enlargement and development of the city. The greater New York scheme, and the rapid transit measure, involve a colossal redistribution of power and patronage. Mayor Gilroy has been a strenuous opponent of the Board of Commerce scheme of rapid transit, which involves the addition of a bonded indebtedness of $50,000,000. Doubtless the capital for the purpose will be ready in private hands as soon as the political control of the greater New York is settled. There is every indication that the investment will be immensely profitable, regardless of the cost of the great enterprise. Capital is not waiting on that account, but rather for the development of electric traction and to see how the political cat will jump.

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J. J. McHenry, store	13	10 00
J. M. Kline, organs and S. M.	14	7 00
Ira McHenry, furniture	14	7 00
Alfred McHenry, store	12	12 50
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Pennington & Seely, store	13	10 00
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C. E. Edson, store	14	7 00
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Steck & Co. drugs	14	7 00
John Harvey, harness	14	7 00
B. F. Sponenberg, 2 pool and 1 billiard table	6	50 00
Berwick Store Co., Limited store	3	100 00
M. E. Davenport, store	14	7 00
BLOOMSBURG.		
J. W. Eyer, store	13	10 00
W. J. Corell & Co., furniture	13	10 00
J. H. Stecker, groceries	14	7 00
C. S. Furman, harness	14	7 00
C. A. Klein, druggist	14	7 00
T. L. Gunton, marble and stone worker	14	7 00
Riggins & Liness, groceries	14	7 00
I. W. Hartman & Son, store	11	15 00
Fursel & Harman, store	10	20 00
Alexander Bros. & Co., wholesale tobacco	9	25 00
W. H. Brower, carpet	14	7 00
Moyer Bros., wholesale druggists	8	30 00
Louis Gross, clothing	13	10 00
L. T. Sharpless, groceries	11	15 00
Max Gross, shoe store	14	7 00
G. A. McKelvy, drugs	14	7 00
Josiah Ralston, tobacco	14	7 00
W. H. Gilmore, 3 pool tables	6	50 00
M. Ellenbogen & Bro., notions	14	7 00
Frank Shelhart, merchant tailor	14	7 00
W. S. Risinton, drugs	14	7 00
Thomas Hickey, store	14	7 00
J. Fursel, store	14	7 00
J. K. Pensyl, store	13	10 00
L. E. Wbary, stoves and tin	14	7 00
F. E. Brown, butcher & dealer	14	7 00
J. Seltzer, organs & S. M.	14	7 00
S. P. Peacock & Co., hardware	13	10 00
J. R. Townsend, furnishing goods	14	7 00
C. E. savage, jewelry store	14	7 00
Jones & Walters, boots and shoes	14	7 00
J. M. Gidding & Co., clothing	13	10 00
J. G. Wells, jewelry	14	7 00
James Mecloskey, 3 pool tables	6	50 00
Cummings & Verdy, confectioners	13	10 00
John Rush, groceries	14	7 00
D. W. Kitchen, grain	12	12 50
Joseph Garrison, flour and feed	14	7 00
Bloomsburg Car Co., store	11	15 00
William H. Slate, bookstore	13	10 00
H. W. Sloan, store	13	20 00
J. W. Masteller, notions	14	7 00
M. L. Kline, harness	14	7 00
J. D. Armstrong, groceries	14	7 00
Harman & Harman, stoves	14	7 00
William Webb, tobacco	14	7 00
P. S. Vannatta, wall paper	14	7 00
G. F. Ringler, drugs	14	7 00
Eshleman & Wolt, stoves	14	7 00
W. O. Holmes, stoves	14	7 00
H. J. Clark & Son, store	11	15 00
W. C. McKinney, shoes	14	7 00
M. M. Phillips & Son, cafe	8	5 00
M. M. Phillips & Son, confectionery	14	7 00
D. Lowenberg Est., clothing	13	10 00
J. C. Schuyler, hardware	13	10 00
C. W. Runyon, hardware	13	10 00
Hess Bros., jewelry	14	7 00
W. H. Moore, store	12	12 50
Evans & Eyer, clothing	14	7 00
J. H. Mercer, drugs	14	7 00
D. A. Creasy, store	14	7 00
J. A. Hess, boots and shoes	14	7 00
Jacob Keller, wholesale notions	9	25 00
W. C. Richart, feed and groceries	14	7 00
I. Maier, clothing	14	7 00
H. V. White & Co., grain	12	12 50
A. Solleder, leather	14	7 00
N. W. Barton, store	14	7 00
Bloomsburg Car Co., coal	14	7 00
Harman & Bassert, coal	14	7 00
William Gingles, store	14	7 00
W. R. Kocher & Co., coal	12	12 50
Creasy & Wells, lumber	11	15 00
Atlantic Refining Co. oil	12	12 50
P. G. Miller, coal	14	7 00
Farmers' Produce Ex. store	12	12 50
Daniel Mourey, restaurant	8	5 00
F. H. and J. M. Webb, store	13	10 00
S. M. Hess, coal	14	7 00
E. E. Mears, store	14	7 00
Snyder Magee Co., Limited store	10	20 00
Samuel Russel coal oil	14	7 00
BRIARCREEK.		
D. P. Fowler, store	14	7 00
CATAWISSA.		
M. A. Swank, store	14	7 00
I. H. Seesholtz, store and coal	12	12 50
C. E. Clewell, store	14	7 00
Monroe Seltzinger, pool table	8	30 00
G. R. Rhawn, stove and hardware	14	7 00
W. B. Shuck, 1 billiard and 1 pool table	7	40 00
Simon Raup, coal dealer	14	7 00
David Giffen coal dealer	14	7 00
C. W. Harder, lumber	11	7 00
J. A. Gulterman, store	12	12 50
E. M. Tewksbury, fertilizer	14	7 00
H. R. Eaby, store	10	20 00
H. F. Spangler, clothing	14	7 00
David Derr, shoe store	14	7 00
Lloyd Berger, clothing	14	7 00
J. K. Delmer, store	14	10 00
J. D. Bodine, shoe store	14	7 00
C. S. Waltz, stationery	14	7 00
T. D. Berninger's Son, furniture	14	7 00
Sharpless Bros.	10	20 00
P. B. Ervin, confectionery	14	7 00
J. L. Walter, tobacco	14	7 00
C. F. Schantek, hardware	13	10 00
Edward Ward, shoe store	14	7 00
A. S. Truckenmiller, pianos and organs	14	7 00
T. E. Harder, furniture	14	7 00
S. D. Rinard, store	14	7 00
C. C. Willets, drugs	14	7 00
E. Fisher, drugs	14	7 00
R. S. Cleaver, stoves	14	7 00
C. W. Harder, lumber	14	7 00
CENTRALIA.		
H. C. Michael, furniture	14	7 00
D. C. Black, groceries	14	7 00
Andrew Lenehan, groceries	14	7 00
C. Fetterman, pool table	8	30 00
L. E. Davis, drugs	14	7 00
A. E. Fetterman, groceries	14	7 00
James Dyke, dressed meat	14	7 00
I. A. Riley & Co., store	2	150 00
A. L. Friday, store	14	7 00
O. H. Millard, store	12	12 50
Lafayette Fetterman, store	14	7 00
G. W. Davis, drugs	14	7 00
C. H. Getchy, store	13	10 00
C. G. Murphy, store	12	12 50
Thomas Irvin, store	13	10 00
A. Hull, confectionery	14	7 00
Harry Levit, clothing	14	7 00
H. R. Goldsworthy & Co., drugs	14	7 00
J. W. Goldsworthy, pool table	8	30 00
B. J. Dyke, dressed meat	14	7 00
CENTRE.		
Low Bros. & Co., store	13	10 00
G. E. Spessier, store	14	7 00
Brobst & Son, store	14	7 00
Z. T. Fortner, coal and grain	13	10 00
J. F. Geiger, machinery & fertilizer	14	7 00
H. P. Bower, store	14	7 00
CONYNGHAM.		
G. W. Wefer, store	14	7 00
Daniel Goodman, store	14	7 00
A. E. Fetterman, groceries	14	7 00
Mid Valley supply Co., store	7	40 00
FISHINGCREEK.		
J. M. Ammerman, store	14	7 00
Mary Lewis, store	14	7 00
G. M. Bowell, store	14	7 00
Mather Bros., store	14	7 00
J. W. Larned, store	14	7 00
M. McHenry & Son, store	14	7 00
A. B. McHenry, store	14	7 00
FRANKLIN.		
Bolich Bros., store	14	7 00
George Bucher, store	14	7 00

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GREENWOOD.		
Jacob Rantz, store	14	7 00
P. D. Black, store	14	7 00
A. J. Derr, store	14	7 00
E. E. Parker, store	14	7 00
W. M. Eves & Son, store	14	7 00
L. Brenner, store	14	7 00
J. E. Welliver, store	14	7 00
HEMLOCK.		
Charles Harris, store	14	7 00
Dent & Shaffer, store	14	7 00
JACKSON.		
H. H. Hurltman, store	14	7 00
LOCUST.		
Irvin Kreischer, store	14	7 00
W. H. Billeg, store	14	7 00
L. H. Daniels, store	14	7 00
E. H. Whitner, store	14	7 00
Thomas Seaborn, farm tools	14	7 00
E. C. Yeager, store	14	7 00
Farmers Alliance store	14	7 00
J. W. Snyder, store	14	7 00
W. M. Adams, store	14	7 00
Adam Rarig, farm tools	14	7 00
H. W. Small, store	14	7 00
MADISON.		
D. Leidacker, store	14	7 00
J. H. Henrie, store	14	7 00
MAIN.		
W. P. Zaner, store	14	7 00
W. M. Longenberger, store	14	7 00
C. J. Campbell, store	14	7 00
Allison Derr, store	14	7 00
MIFFLIN.		
E. Schweppenheiser, store	14	7 00
D. C. Bond, store	14	7 00
W. A. Creasy, store	14	7 00
R. J. Berninger, furniture	14	7 00
D. A. Hess, coal	14	7 00
A. W. Snyder, store	14	7 00
Mineral Oil Co., wholesale oil	14	7 00
Aaron Hess, coal	14	7 00
MILLVILLE.		
V. P. Eves & Henrie, furniture	14	7 00
J. B. Eves, farm implements	14	7 00
J. C. Christian clothing	14	7 00
Byron S. Keller, stoves	14	7 00
C. S. Ely, drugs	14	7 00
Ellis Eves & Bro., store	11	15 00
Masters & Co., store	11	15 00
J. L. John, grain, salt and phosphate	14	7 00
MONTOUR.		
Arthur Roberts, store	14	7 00
Yost & Yinger, store	14	7 00
H. R. Grimes, store	14	7 00
MT. PLEASANT.		
W. H. Manning & Co., store	14	7 00
Henry Kindt, store	14	7 00
ORANGE.		
Amos Neyhard, furniture	14	7 00
E. G. Stewart, store	14	7 00
A. M. Dewitt, store	13	10 00
H. B. Low, coal and grain	14	7 00
G. W. Billeman, confectionery and groceries	14	7 00
Fleckenstine, store	13	10 00
C. M. Cook, notions and groceries	14	7 00
White & Conner, agricultural implements	14	7 00
PINE.		
J. F. Lemon, store	14	7 00
ROARINGCREEK.		
Houck & Yocum, store	14	7 00
SCOTT.		
Isaac Reichart, store	14	7 00
Silas Young, store	14	7 00
A. P. Rowel, store	14	7 00
J. E. White, store	14	7 00
W. M. Robbins, store	14	7 00
William Hegart, store	13	10 00
W. E. Deitterich, store	14	7 00
N. Richart, store	14	7 00
W. B. Freese, store	14	7 00
J. B. Werkheiser, store	14	7 00
Jerris Miller, coal	14	7 00
Silver Spring Quarry Co., store	13	10 00
SUGARLOAF.		
Andrew Laubach, store	14	7 00
Jacob Lorah, store	14	7 00
R. J. Force, drugs and notions	14	7 00
Drum Bros. & Co., store	13	10 00
B. D. Cole, store	14	7 00
John Kennedy, 1 pool table	8	30 00
Elijah Hess, store	14	7 00

Appeals will be held at the Commissioners' office in Bloomsburg, on Saturday, the 3d day of June A. D., 1894, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 4 P. M., where you can attend if you think proper.

O. T. WILSON,
Mercantile Appraiser.

May 25-tf.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

ASSIGNED ESTATE OF WM. NEAL, C. W. NEAL AND R. C. NEAL, DOING BUSINESS AS WM. NEAL & SONS, AND THE SAID WM. NEAL, C. W. NEAL AND R. C. NEAL INDIVIDUALLY.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed Assignee of the property and effects of Wm. Neal, C. W. Neal, R. C. Neal, doing business as Wm. Neal & Sons, and the said Wm. Neal, C. W. Neal and R. C. Neal individually.

All bills and accounts receivable by the said parties are now payable to the Assignee, and all claims against the parties should be sent to him to be filed and audited.

JOHN M. CLARK,
May 4-6t. Assignee.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of George Farrell, late of Centralia Bor., deceased.

Letters of administration on the estate of George Farrell, late of Centralia Borough, deceased, having been granted by the Register of Wills of Columbia county to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims against the same to present them to

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For Catawissa weekdays 7.35, 11.35 a. m., 12.15, 5.00, 6.33, p. m.

For Rupert weekdays 7.35, 11.35 a. m., 12.15, 3.15 5.00, 6.33, p. m.

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Leave New York via Philadelphia 8.00 a. m., and via Easton 9 10 a. m.

Leave Philadelphia 10.50 a. m.

Leave Reading 11.30 a. m.

Leave Pottsville 12.30 p. m.

Leave Tamaqua 1.30 a. m.,

Leave Williamsport weekdays 10 10 a. m, 4.50 p. m.

Leave Catawissa weekdays, 7.00, 8.50 a. m. 1.30, 3.18, 8.18.

Leave Rupert, weekdays, 7.03, 8.27, 11.45 a. m., 1.37, 3.27, 8.23.

For Baltimore, Washington and the West via B. & O. R. R., through trains leave Reading Terminal Philadelphia, 4.21, 7.40, 11.24 a. m., 3.46, 5.14 7.2', p. m. Sundays 3.33, 7.10 11.36 a. m., 3.46, 7.2', p. m.

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SOUTH. 4	2	STATIONS.	NORTH 1	3
Arrive.			Leave.	
P M	A M		A M	P M
6 20	7 40	Bloomsburg D. L. & W. Dep	8 35	6 40
6 26	7 48	P. & R. Depot.	8 29	6 44
6 21	7 33	Bloomsburg Main Street.	8 42	6 47
6 20	7 10	Irondale	8 45	6 50
6 12	7 03	Paper Mill	8 52	6 58
6 10	7 00	Lightstreet	8 55	7 02
5 59	6 50	Orangeville	9 01	7 10
5 48	6 39	Forks	9 4	7 20
5 44	6 35	Zaners	9 18	7 34
5 37	6 28	Stillwater	9 25	7 39
5 27	6 18	Benton	9 36	7 39
5 22	6 14	Edsons	9 40	7 44
5 20	6 12	Cole's Creek	9 43	7 48
5 14	6 08	Sugarloaf	9 46	7 52
5 11	6 01	Lautachs	9 52	7 57
5 04	5 53	Central	10 00	8 07
5 00	5 50	Jamison City	10 05	8 10
P M	A M		A M	P M
Leave.			Arrive.	

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BLOOMSBURG DIVISION.

STATIONS.	NORTH. A. M.	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
Northumberland	6 30	1 50		
Cameron	6 35	...	.....	5
Chulasky	6 40	....	.....	5
Danville	6 48	2 12	10 26	5 58
Catawissa	7 05	2 26	10 39	6 05
Rupert	7 12	2 31	10 44	6 23
Bloomsburg	7 20	2 36	10 49	6 29
Espy	7 27	2 43	....	6 42
Lime Ridge	7 34	2 50	.....	6 46
Willow Grove	7 38	2 54	.....	6 50
Briarcreek	7 41	....	.....	6 56
Berwick	7 48	3 04	11 12	7 02
Beach Haven	7 54	3 10	11 18	7 09
Nick's Ferry	8 00	3 17	...	7 22
Shickshinny	8 10	3 29	11 33	7 32
Hunlock's	8 21	3 39	.....	7 43
Nanticoke	8 26	3 46	11 49	7 48
Avondale	8 30	3 51	.	7 52
Plymouth	8 33	3 56	11 56	7 57
Plymouth Junction	8 40	4 00	.....	8 02
Kingston	8 45	4 05	12 03	8 07
Bennett	8 49	4 08	12 06	8 12
Maltby	8 52	4 12	.....	8 17
Wyoming	8 56	4 17	12 13	8 25
West Pittston	9 01	4 22	...	8 29
Pittston	9 08	4 30	12 22	8 42
Duryea	9 13	4 34	.....	8 47
Lackawanna	9 16	4 37	.....	8 52
Taylorville	9 25	4 45	12 35	8 59
Bellevue	9 31	4 50	...	9 07
Scranton	9 35	4 55	12 45	9 12
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	M

STATIONS.	SOUTH. A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Scranton	6 00	9 50	1 35	6 07
Bellevue	6 05	9 55	....	....
Taylorville	6 10	10 00	1 45	6 17
Lackawanna	6 18	10 07	1 52	6 24
Duryea	6 22	10 10	1 55	6 28
Pittston	6 28	10 14	2 00	6 33
West Pittston	6 35	10 20	2 06	6 38
Wyoming	6 40	10 25	2 11	6 43
Maltby	6 44	10 28	....	....
Bennett	6 48	10 32	2 19	6 50
Kingston	6 54	10 35	2 25	6 55
Plymouth Junction	6 59	10 39	2 29	....
Plymouth	7 04	10 44	2 34	7 03
Avondale	7 09	10 48	2 38	7 07
Nanticoke	7 14	10 52	2 42	7 12
Hunlock's	7 20	10 59	2 50	7 20
Shickshinny	7 31	11 09	3 01	7 30
Nick's Ferry	7 44	11 23	3 17	7 41
Beach Haven	7 54	11 32	3 25	7 47
Berwick	8 02	11 40	3 35	7 53
Briar Creek	8 09	....	3 40	....
Willow Grove	8 13	11 50	3 44	8 02
Lime Ridge	8 17	11 56	3 51	8 06
Espy	8 24	12 04	3 58	8 12
Bloomsburg	8 31	12 12	4 05	8 18
Rupert	8 37	12 18	4 12	8 23
Catawissa	8 49	12 28	4 18	8 28
Danville	8 57	12 37	4 28	8 43
Chulasky	9 03	.....	4 46	....
Cameron	9 07	12 46	4 51	8 53
Northumberland	9 22	1 00	5 05	9 07
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.

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9:48 a. m. Train 14 (Daily except Sunday) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations arriving at Philadelphia 3:00 p. m.; New York 5:51 p. m.; Baltimore, 3:10 p. m.; Washington 4:30 p. m. connecting at Philadelphia for all sea Shore points. Passenger coaches to Philadelphia Baltimore. Parlor car to Philadelphia.

1:55 p. m. Train 8, (Daily except Sunday,) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia at 6:50 p. m.; New York, 10:05 p. m.; Baltimore 7:2' p. m.; Washington 8:37 p. m. Parlor cars to Philadelphia and passenger coaches to Philadelphia and Baltimore.

5:25 p. m. Train 12 [Daily except sunday] for Harrisburg and intermediate points, arriving at Philadelphia 11:15 p. m. New York 2:53 a. m., Baltimore 12:40 p. m., Passenger coach to Philadelphia.

8:17 p. m.—Train 6, (Daily,) for Harrisburg and all intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 4:30 a. m.; New York 7:34 a. m. Pullman sleeping car from Harrisburg to Philadelphia and New York. Philadelphia passengers can remain in sleeper undisturbed until 7 a. m.

1:50 a. m-Train 4 (daily) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 6:50 a. m.. New York 9:34 a. m., weekdays; 10:35 a. m., Sunday. Baltimore 6:20 a. m. Washington 7:40 a. m., Pullman sleeping cars to Philadelphia and passenger coaches to Philadelphia and Baltimore.

4:36 a. m.—Train 16 (Daily,) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations arriving at Baltimore 8:55 a. m. and Washington 10:16 a. m and Pullman sleeping cars to Baltimore, Washington, and Passenger coaches to Baltimore.

WESTWARD.

1:35 a. m.—Train 9 (Daily except Sunday) for Canandaigua, Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls, with Pullman sleeping cars to Buffalo and passenger coaches to Rochester.

5:13 a. m —Train 3 (Daily,) for Erie, Canandaigua and intermediate stations, Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls with Pullman palace cars to Erie and Elmira and passenger coaches to Erie and Rochester.

9:56—Train 13 (Daily,) for Lock Haven and intermediate stations.

1:35 p. m.—Train 11 (Daily except Sunday) for Kane, Canandaigua and intermediate stations, Rochester, Buffalo, and Niagara Falls with through passenger coaches to Kane and Rochester and Parlor car to Rochester.

5:44 p. m.—Train 1, (Daily except Sunday) for Renovo, Ralston and intermediate stations.

9:25 p. m.-Train 13 daily for Williamsport and intermediate stations.

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Train 15—Leaves New York, 12:15 night, Philadelphia 4:30 a. m., Baltimore 6:40 a. m., Harrisburg, 8:15 a. m., daily arriving at Sunbury 9:56 a. m.

Train 11—Leaves Philadelphia 8:50 a. m., Washington 7:50 a. m., Baltimore 8:47 a. m., (daily except Sunday) arriving at Sunbury, 1:05 with Parlor car from Philadelphia and passenger coaches from Philadelphia and Baltimore.

Train 1—Leaves New York 9:00 a. m., Philadelphia 12:5 p. m., Washington 11:05 a. m., Baltimore 12:00 noon, (daily except Sunday) arriving at Sunbury 5:39 p. m. with passenger coaches from Philadelphia and Baltimore.

Train 13 leaves New York 2.10 p. m., weekdays 2:00 p. m. Sunday, Philadelphia 5:40 p. m. weekdays 4.30 p. m. Sunday. Washington 8:15 p. m., Baltimore 4:12 p. m. daily, arriving at Sunbury 9:05 p. m. Through Coach and Parlor car from Philadelphia.

Train 9 leaves New York 6:00 p. m., Philadelphia 8:50 p. m., Washington 7:10 p. m., Baltimore 8:15 p. m., arriving at Sunbury, 1:35 a. m. weekdays, with Pullman sleeping cars and passenger coaches from Washington and Baltimore.

Train 3 leaves New York 8:00 p. m., Philadelphia 11:20 p. m., Washington 10.40 p. m., Baltimore 1:40 p. m., (Daily,) arriving at Sunbury 5:08 a. m., with Pullman sleeping cars from Philadelphia, Washington and Baltimore and passenger coaches from Philadelphia and Baltimore.

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NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

Interesting Items From Various Points in the County, Reported by Our Staff of Correspondents.

EAST BENTON.

The rains on last Friday night, Saturday afternoon and night and Sunday were timely and much needed. Vegetation is now rapidly growing.

J. B. Gibbons now owns the old homestead and Mason B. Fritz is farming for him.

Benton is a busy mart. And why shouldn't it be? It is the metropolis of the valley.

Alvin Dresher met with a mishap by which one of his heifers broke a leg while driving it to the mountain pastures. He hauled it back with the hope of healing the broken limb.

The corn is nearly all planted. But the ground is full of cut worms. Later planting would suffer less from this pest.

LIGHT STREET.

Mr. Geo. Hawk and Miss Isabella Patterson were united in Marriage, at the residence of her father, Robt. Patterson, on Monday evening at 8 o'clock, by Rev. R. H. Wilson.

Mr. Welsh, of McEwensville, is now employed as trimmer by B. W. Drake.

Wm. Roup and wife spent a few days at Greenwood with her mother.

Mr. and Miss Merrell, of Greenwood, brother and sister of Mrs. Geo. E. Grimes, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Grimes.

Mrs. Mordecai Hicks took a flying trip to Bloomsburg last Friday, and, being storm stayed, did not get home till Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Dr. E. A. Smith is now visiting her parents at Lewisburg.

The recent rain caused a boom in Fishing creek at this place. But no serious damage was done as yet.

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Court Proceedings.

Isaac Dyer vs. Locust twp. Verdict for plaintiff for $75 damage sustained before the constrution of the new bridge.

Benj. Lore vs. Millville Borough. C. E. Winner excused as a juror and David Keller substituted in his place by agreement of parties. Theo Keller was excused and Charles Eckroth substituted.

A. H. Fisher et al. vs. B. G. Waples et al. Petition in Common Pleas. Order of court filed.

Sale of real estate of John Michael ordered.

Aaron Kester appointed Guardian of Mary A., minor child of Mathias Kindt.

Sheriff's deeds acknowledged:

Property of Sophia Trumbore to Rosalinda Kinly for $100.

Property of Thos. McKiernan to Locust Mt. S. & L. A. for $200.

Mahala Craig vs. C. C. Evans. Appeal by plaintiff. Case tried and verdict for defendant.

James L. Evans appointed tax collector for Berwick Boro.

Benj. Lore vs. Millville Boro. Verdict for plaintiff. $100 damages.

Estate of Silas McHenry, deceased. Petition to sell or mortgage real estate. Order of Court filed. Bond filed and approved.

Estate of B. F. Savits, dec'd. Order of Court telative to payment of moneys distributed to children of decedent, filed.

Petition for citation in estate of Nora Gearhart, minor child of Mary A. Gearhart, dec'd. Citation awarded as prayed for Account to be filed within 90 days from May 19, 1894.

Sale real estate of John Appleman estate, ordered. P. A. Evans, Wm. Appleman and Hugh W. Appleman appointed trustees to sell.

In re lunacy of Mathias Gingles, of Catawissa twp. Discharged from Insane Asylum. By the Court.

IMPORTANT NOTICE.

On Thursday, May 31, at 2 P. M., there will be a union meeting at the Briarcreek Church, of the two congregations worshipping there, and all others concerned, to take into consideration the erection of a suitable shed for the protection of horses and vehicles during inclement weather. The two pastors will be present to conduct the meeting. The Briarcreek church has a fine location, a neat church edifice and a beautiful cemetery which will continue to be a city of the dead for generations. As the location of the church and cemetery is elevated and unprotected, the horses and vehicles are often exposed to drenching rains and winter blasts during service. It has been repeatedly felt that there ought to be a shed erected for the protection of horses and vehicles. Why has not this shed been built in the past? Is it because the people are too poor? No; this is not the reason as Briarcreek is considered a rich valley. Is it because the people are too close-fisted? No; they are a generous people. Why then has not this much needed shed been built long ago? The true reason is, there has been no united effort put forth for its accomplishment. The opject of calling this union meeting is to put forth a *united* effort to build a shed that will be worthy the Briarcreek church and community. The two pastors are in sympathy with the movement and will do all they can to bring it about. This notice is a personal appeal to every male member of the church, and every man concerned in the cemetery. Your unnecessary absence will be regarded as indifference or opposition to the movement. Should Thursday be a very stormy day so that the meeting could not be held on that day, it will be held on the next day at the same hour.

Those who persist in building fire with coal oil and gasoline, and cooking with gasoline stoves will do well to keep their eyes on newspaper reports of explosions. The following extract is but a sample of hundreds recorded all over the country: "Louis Brennan, his wife, Hannah, and his son, George Brennan, were badly burned about the face and arms yesterday afternoon at their home, 644 South Third Street. One of them was lighting the fire with gasoline, when it exploded, setting fire to their clothing. They were taken to the Pennsylvania Hospital. Mrs. Brennan was enabled to return home after being treated. Young Era Smolesky, of St. John street, was badly burned by a gasoline stove exploding at his home. He was taken to the Pennsylvania Hospital.—*Phila. Times.*

A New Paper.

The *Bradford Star* is the name of another Democratic luminary now visible in the political horizon of Towanda, Pa. It is edited by C. F. Heverly, and has a new and clean look throughout, while its unhampered editorial expression along the line of tariff reform, &c., is also clean and worthy of appreciation. It drops in among live competitors, however, about four we believe, already established there, and of course time alone can tell how long the rays of the *Star* will illuminate Towanda.

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Odd Fellows' Annual Assembly.

The State fraternity of Odd Fellows which assembled at Altoona on the 17th. inst. had a very interesting session of three day's duration during which all unsettled questions were amicably settled, and general harmony prevailed. All the grand officers were reported as present while the members present just comfortably filled the hall.

The following named officers were elected:

Grand Master, Harry L. Neall, of Philadelphia.

Deputy Grand Master, Charles Chalfont, Danville.

Grand Warden, Amos H. Hall of Philadelphia.

Grand Secretary, J. B. Nicholson of Philadelphia, for the 26th. year.

Grand Treasurer, M. R. Muckle, of Philadelphia, for the 38th. year.

Representative to Sovereign Grand Lodge, Robert E. Wright, of Allentown.

T. F. Anthony, Ex-Postmaster of Promise City, Iowa, says: "I bought one bottle of 'Mystic Cure,' for Rheumatism and two doses of it did me more good than any medicine I ever took." Sold by C. A. Kleim, Druggist, Bloomsburg. 11-10-8m.

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Jos. S. Beddal and wife, of Tamaqua, S. R. Beddal and wife, of Port Carbon, and George Beddal and wife, of Shenandoah, were in town a few days last week. Most of the time they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Bodine, who enjoyed their visit very much. On Thursday, accompanied by Harry Eshelman and Mrs. Bodine, they spent the day at Jamison City, stopping at Proctor Inn, where they were royally entertained and delighted with the surroundings. The brothers, eight in number, are a jolly set of boys, fond of hunting, fishing, &c., and have some of the best setter dogs in the United States. They sent by express to Mr. Bodine a fine setter dog, the progeny of the celebrated Gathmark, ten months old, which he prizes very highly. They left very much pleased with their visit to Bloomsburg, and while here made many friends who regret that their stay could not have been longer, and who hope they will come soon again.

A RIDE ON THE COLUMBIA.

A party of fifteen spent a couple of hours very pleasantly in cruising up and down the Susquehanna between here and Espy on the steamboat Columbia last Thursday afternoon. They were taken to the river in Hartzell's livery hack drawn by his spirited white team, with William handling the reins. Among the party were H. C. Dayton and Mr. Ruddiman, of New York. Mr. Dayton is the export agent of the Bloomsburg Car. Co.

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Charles C. Ritter, brother of Mrs. M. V. B. Kline of Catawissa, was killed by the falling of a derrick on the 12th inst., at Riverton, Alabama, where he was superintending the building of a lock for the government. The remains were brought to Catawissa, and buried on Wednesday of last week.

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